

## Βιβλία - Πηγαί

### Ἱερατικόν

Λειτουργία Ἁγίου Βασιλείου

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### Τριώδιον

Κυριακὴ Β΄ τῶν Νηστειῶν τοῦ Ἁγίου Γρηγορίου Παλαμᾶ

## ΛΕΙΤΟΥΡΓΙΑ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΙΟΥ

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐλογημένη ἡ Βασιλεία τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ ἢ ΕΙΡΗΝΙΚΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῆς ἄνωθεν εἰρήνης καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας τῶν ψυχῶν ἡμῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῆς εἰρήνης τοῦ σύμπαντος κόσμου, εὐσταθείας τῶν ἁγίων τοῦ Θεοῦ Ἐκκλησιῶν καὶ τῆς τῶν πάντων ἐνώσεως, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ἁγίου οἴκου τούτου, καὶ τῶν μετὰ πίστεως, εὐλαβείας καὶ φόβου Θεοῦ εἰσιόντων ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

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### Triodion

Second Sunday of Lent - St. Gregory Palamas

## LITURGY OF ST. BASIL

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### PRIEST

Blessed is the Kingdom of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### THE LITANY OF PEACE OR GREAT LITANY

### DEACON

In peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the peace from above and for the salvation of our souls, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the peace of the whole world, for the stability of the holy churches of God, and for the unity of all, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For this holy house and for those who enter it with faith, reverence, and the fear of God, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For pious and Orthodox Christians, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος), τοῦ τιμίου πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ διακονίας, παντὸς τοῦ κλήρου καὶ τοῦ λαοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ εὐσεβοῦς ἡμῶν ἔθνους, πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας ἐν αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῆς πόλεως ταύτης, πάσης πόλεως, χώρας καὶ τῶν πίστει οἰκούντων ἐν αὐταῖς, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ εὐκρασίας ἀέρων, εὐφορίας τῶν καρπῶν τῆς γῆς, καὶ καιρῶν εἰρηνικῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ πλεόντων, ὁδοιπορούντων, νοσοῦντων, καμνόντων, αἰχμαλώτων καὶ τῆς σωτηρίας αὐτῶν, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, καὶ ἀπὸ τοῦ ἀπειλοῦντος ἡμᾶς λοιμοῦ τοῦ κορονοϊοῦ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν τῶν κατὰ τῆς νόσου τοῦ κορονοϊοῦ ἀγωνιζομένων, ἰατρῶν, νοσηλευτῶν καὶ ἐπιστημόνων, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων

For (episcopal rank) (name), for the honorable presbyterate, for the diaconate in Christ, and for all the clergy and the people, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For our country, for the president, and for all in public service, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For this city, and for every city and land, and for the faithful who live in them, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For favorable weather, for an abundance of the fruits of the earth, and for peaceful times, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For those who travel by land, sea, and air, for the sick, the suffering, the captives and for their salvation, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger and distress, and from the peril of the coronavirus against us, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For our brethren, those who lead the fight against the coronavirus, the doctors, the medical workers and the scientists, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves

μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Α΄

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, οὗ τὸ κράτος ἀνείκαστον καὶ ἡ δόξα ἀκατάληπτος, οὗ τὸ ἔλεος ἀμέτρητον καὶ ἡ φιλανθρωπία ἄφατος. Αὐτὸς Δέσποτα, κατὰ τὴν εὐσπλαχνίαν σου, ἐπίβλεψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς καὶ ἐπὶ τὸν ἅγιον οἶκον τοῦτον καὶ ποιήσον μεθ' ἡμῶν, καὶ τῶν συνευχομένων ἡμῖν, πλοῦσια τὰ ἐλέη σου καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀντίφωνον Α΄. ᾠδὴ β΄.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον, καὶ πάντα τὰ ἐντός μου τὸ ὄνομα τὸ ἅγιον αὐτοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Εὐλόγει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον, καὶ μὴ ἐπιλανθάνου πάσας τὰς ἀνταποδόσεις αὐτοῦ.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Κύριος ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ ἠτοίμασε τὸν θρόνον αὐτοῦ, καὶ ἡ Βασιλεία αὐτοῦ πάντων δεσπόζει.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE FIRST ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, Whose dominion is incomparable and glory incomprehensible; Whose mercy is immeasurable, and love for mankind ineffable: Look upon us and upon this holy house in Your loving-kindness, and grant to us and to those who pray with us Your abundant mercy and compassion.

**PRIEST**

For to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**CHOIR**

**Antiphon I. Mode 2.**

**Verse 1:** Bless the Lord, O my soul, and everything within me, bless His holy name. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us. [GOA]

**Verse 2:** Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His rewards. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

**Verse 3:** The Lord prepared His throne in heaven, and His Kingdom rules over all. [SAAS]

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.

Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

Ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου, Σῶτερ, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

### ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

##### ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Β΄

Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, σῶσον τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, τὸ πλήρωμα τῆς ἐκκλησίας σου φύλαξον, ἀγίασον τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας τὴν εὐπρέπειαν τοῦ οἴκου σου. Σὺ αὐτοὺς ἀντιδόξασον τῇ θεϊκῇ σου δυνάμει καὶ μὴ ἐγκαταλίπῃς ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἐλπίζοντας ἐπὶ σέ.

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι σὸν τὸ κράτος καὶ σοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

*Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit.*

*Both now and ever and to the ages of ages. Amen.*

Through the intercessions of the Theotokos, Savior, save us.

### THE SMALL LITANY

#### DEACON

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

*(To You, O Lord.)*

#### PRIEST (in a low voice)

##### THE PRAYER OF THE SECOND ANTIPHON

Lord, our God, save Your people and bless Your inheritance. Protect the fullness of Your Church. Sanctify those who love the beauty of Your house. Glorify them in return by Your divine power, and forsake us not who have set our hope in You.

#### PRIEST

For Yours is the dominion, and Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

*(Amen.)*

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀντίφωνον Β΄. ᾠδὴ β΄.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Αἶνει, ἡ ψυχὴ μου, τὸν Κύριον·  
αἰνέσω Κύριον ἐν τῇ ζωῇ μου· ψαλῶ τῷ Θεῷ μου  
ἕως ὑπάρχω.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,  
ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλουῖα.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Μακάριος οὗ ὁ Θεὸς Ἰακώβ βοηθὸς  
αὐτοῦ, ἡ ἐλπίς αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ Κύριον τὸν Θεὸν αὐτοῦ.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,  
ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλουῖα.

**Στίχ. γ΄.** Βασιλεύσει Κύριος εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, ὁ  
Θεός σου, Σιών, εἰς γενεὰν καὶ γενεάν.

Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,  
ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλουῖα.

*Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.*

*Καὶ νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν  
αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.*

Ὁ Μονογενὴς Υἱὸς καὶ Λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ,  
ἀθάνατος ὑπάρχων καὶ καταδεξάμενος διὰ τὴν  
ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν σαρκωθῆναι ἐκ τῆς ἁγίας  
Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, ἀτρέπτως  
ἐνανθρωπήσας, σταυρωθεὶς τε, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός,  
θανάτῳ θάνατον πατήσας, εἷς ὢν τῆς Ἁγίας  
Τριάδος, συνδοξαζόμενος τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ  
Πνεύματι, σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

**ΜΙΚΡΑ ΣΥΝΑΠΤΗ**

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον  
ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῇ σῆ χάριτι.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

**CHOIR**

**Antiphon II. Mode 2.**

**Verse 1:** Praise the Lord, O my soul! I shall  
praise the Lord while I live; I shall sing to my God  
as long as I exist. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead.  
We sing to You, Alleluia. [GOA]

**Verse 2:** Blessed is he whose help is the God  
of Jacob; his hope is in the Lord his God. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead.  
We sing to You, Alleluia.

**Verse 3:** The Lord shall reign forever; your  
God, O Zion, to all generations. [SAAS]

Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead.  
We sing to You, Alleluia.

*Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy  
Spirit.*

*Both now and ever and to the ages of ages.  
Amen.*

Only begotten Son and Logos of God, being  
immortal, You condescended for our salvation to  
take flesh from the holy Theotokos and ever-virgin  
Mary and, without change, became man. Christ,  
our God, You were crucified and conquered death  
by death. Being one of the Holy Trinity, glorified  
with the Father and the Holy Spirit: Save us. [GOA]

**THE SMALL LITANY**

**DEACON**

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to the  
Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and  
protect us, O God, by Your grace.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΑΝΤΙΦΩΝΟΥ Γ΄

Ὁ τὰς κοινὰς ταύτας καὶ συμφώνους ἡμῖν χαρισάμενος προσευχάς, ὁ καὶ δυοὶ καὶ τρισὶ συμφωνοῦσιν ἐπὶ τῷ ὀνόματί σου τὰς αἰτήσεις παρέχειν ἐπαγγελάμενος. Αὐτός καὶ νῦν τῶν δούλων σου τὰ αἰτήματα πρὸς τὸ συμφέρον πλήρωσον, χορηγῶν ἡμῖν ἐν τῷ παρόντι αἰῶνι τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας καὶ ἐν τῷ μέλλοντι ζωὴν αἰώνιον χαριζόμενος.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ὑπάρχεις καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἀντίφωνον Γ΄.**

**ᾠχος α΄.**

**Στίχ. α΄.** Αὕτη ἡ ἡμέρα, ἣν ἐποίησεν ὁ Κύριος· ἀγαλλιασώμεθα καὶ εὐφρανθῶμεν ἐν αὐτῇ.

**Ἀπολυτικίον Ἀναστάσιμον.**

**ᾠχος α΄.** Αὐτόμελον.

Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος ὑπὸ τῶν Ἰουδαίων, καὶ στρατιωτῶν φυλασσόντων τὸ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα, ἀνέστης τριήμερος Σωτήρ, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωὴν· διὰ τοῦτο αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν ἐβόων σοὶ ζωοδότα. Δόξα τῇ Ἀναστάσει σου Χριστέ, δόξα τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου, δόξα τῇ οἰκονομίᾳ σου, μόνε φιλόανθρωπε.

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE THIRD ANTIPHON

Lord, You have granted us to offer these common prayers in unison and have promised that when two or three agree in Your name, You will grant their requests. Fulfill now, O Lord, the petitions of Your servants as may be of benefit to them, granting us in the present age the knowledge of Your truth, and in the age to come eternal life.

**PRIEST**

For You, O God, are good and love mankind, and to You we offer glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever, and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**CHOIR**

**Antiphon III.**

**Mode 1.**

**Verse 1:** This is the day the Lord made; let us greatly rejoice and be glad therein. [SAAS]

**Resurrectional Apolytikion.**

**Mode 1. Automelon.**

The stone had been secured with a seal by the Judeans, \* and a guard of soldiers was watching Your immaculate body. \* You rose on the third day, O Lord \* and Savior, granting life unto the world. \* For this reason were the powers of heaven crying out to You, O Life-giver: \* Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ; \* glory to Your kingdom; \* glory to Your dispensation, only One who loves mankind. [SD]

**Στίχ. β'.** Αίνεσάτωσαν αὐτὸν οἱ οὐρανοὶ καὶ ἡ γῆ.

Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος ὑπὸ τῶν Ἰουδαίων, καὶ στρατιωτῶν φυλασσόντων τὸ ἄχραντὸν σου Σῶμα, ἀνέστης τριήμερος Σωτήρ, δωρούμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωὴν· διὰ τοῦτο αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν ἐβόων σοι ζωοδότα. Δόξα τῇ Ἀναστάσει σου Χριστέ, δόξα τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου, δόξα τῇ οἰκονομίᾳ σου, μόνε φιλόνηρωπε.

### ΜΙΚΡΑ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΣ

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΕΙΣΟΔΟΥ ΤΟΥ ΑΓΙΟΥ ΕΥΑΓΓΕΛΙΟΥ

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ καταστήσας ἐν οὐρανοῖς τάγματα καὶ στρατιάς Ἀγγέλων καὶ Ἀρχαγγέλων, εἰς λειτουργίαν τῆς σῆς δόξης, ποιήσον σὺν τῇ εἰσόδῳ ἡμῶν εἴσοδον ἁγίων Ἀγγέλων γενέσθαι, συλλειτουργούντων ἡμῖν, καὶ συνδοξολογούντων τὴν σὴν ἀγαθότητα. Ὅτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλόγησον Δέσποτα, τὴν ἁγίαν εἴσοδον.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Εὐλογημένη ἡ εἴσοδος τῶν Ἁγίων σου, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Εἰσοδικόν. Ἦχος β'.**

Δεῦτε προσκυνήσωμεν καὶ προσπέσωμεν Χριστῷ. Σῶσον ἡμᾶς Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν,

ψάλλοντάς σοι, Ἀλληλουῖα.

**Verse 2:** *Let heaven and earth praise Him.*

[SAAS]

The stone had been secured with a seal by the Judeans, \* and a guard of soldiers was watching Your immaculate body. \* You rose on the third day, O Lord \* and Savior, granting life unto the world. \* For this reason were the powers of heaven crying out to You, O Life-giver: \* Glory to Your resurrection, O Christ; \* glory to Your kingdom; \* glory to Your dispensation, only One who loves mankind. [SD]

### THE SMALL ENTRANCE

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE ENTRANCE PRAYER

Master, Lord our God, Who has established the orders and hosts of angels and archangels in heaven to minister to Your glory, grant that holy angels may enter with us, that together we may celebrate and glorify Your goodness. For to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Master, bless the holy entrance.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Blessed be the entrance of Your holy ones always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise.

**CHOIR**

**Entrance Hymn. Mode 2.**

Come, let us worship and bow down before Christ. Save us, O Son of God, risen from the dead. [GOA]

We sing to You, Alleluia.

**Ὑμνοι μετὰ τὴν Μικρὰν Εἴσοδον**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Τῆς Ὀκτωήχου ---

**Ἀπολυτίκιον Ἀναστάσιμον.**

**ᾠχος α΄. Αὐτόμελον.**

Τοῦ λίθου σφραγισθέντος ὑπὸ τῶν Ἰουδαίων,  
καὶ στρατιωτῶν φυλασσόντων τὸ ἄχραντόν σου  
Σῶμα, ἀνέστης τριήμερος Σωτήρ, δωρούμενος  
τῷ κόσμῳ τὴν ζωὴν· διὰ τοῦτο αἱ Δυνάμεις τῶν  
οὐρανῶν ἐβόων σοι ζωοδότα. Δόξα τῇ Ἀναστάσει  
σου Χριστέ, δόξα τῇ βασιλείᾳ σου, δόξα τῇ  
οἰκονομίᾳ σου, μόνε φιλόανθρωπε.

**Τοῦ Ἱεράρχου.**

Τοῦ Τριωδίου ---

**ᾠχος πλ. δ΄.**

Ὁρθοδοξίας ὁ φωστήρ, Ἐκκλησίας τὸ  
στήριγμα καὶ διδάσκαλε, τῶν μοναστῶν  
ἡ καλλονή, τῶν θεολόγων ὑπέρμαχος  
ἀπροσμάχητος· Γρηγόριε θαυματουργέ  
Θεσσαλονίκης τὸ καύχημα κήρυξ τῆς χάριτος·  
ικέτευε διὰ παντός, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

**Τοῦ Ναοῦ.**

(Τὸ Ἀπολυτίκιον τοῦ Ναοῦ.)

**Κοντάκιον.**

**ᾠχος πλ. δ΄. Αὐτόμελον.**

Τῇ ὑπερμάχῳ στρατηγῷ τὰ νικητήρια,

Ὡς λυτρωθεῖσα τῶν δεινῶν εὐχαριστήρια,  
Ἀναγράφω σοι ἡ Πόλις σου Θεοτόκε.  
Ἄλλ' ὡς ἔχουσα τὸ κράτος ἀπροσμάχητον,  
Ἐκ παντοίων με κινδύνων ἐλευθέρωσον,  
Ἵνα κράζω σοι· Χαῖρε νύμφη ἀνύμφευτε.

**Hymns After the Small Entrance.**

**CHOIR**

From Octoechos ---

**Resurrectional Apolytikion.**

**Mode 1. Automelon.**

The stone had been secured with a seal by the  
Judeans, \* and a guard of soldiers was watching  
Your immaculate body. \* You rose on the third  
day, O Lord \* and Savior, granting life unto the  
world. \* For this reason were the powers of heaven  
crying out to You, O Life-giver: \* Glory to Your  
resurrection, O Christ; \* glory to Your kingdom;  
\* glory to Your dispensation, only One who loves  
mankind. [SD]

**For the Hierarch.**

From Triodion ---

**Mode pl. 4.**

Beacon of Orthodox belief, the strong  
support of the Church and her teacher inspired  
by God, you are the ornament of monks, the  
unassailable champion of theologians, O Gregory  
the Wonder-worker and the boast of Thessalonica,  
the messenger of grace. Forever earnestly entreat  
for the salvation of our souls. [SD]

**Apolytikion of the Parish Church**

(The text of the Apolytikion of the local  
church goes here.)

**Kontakion.**

**Mode pl. 4. Automelon.**

O Champion General, I your City now  
inscribe to you  
Triumphant anthems as the tokens of my gratitude,  
Being rescued from the terrors, O Theotokos.  
Inasmuch as you have power unassailable,  
From all kinds of perils free me, so that unto you  
I may cry aloud: Rejoice, O unwedded Bride. [SD]

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

### ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ Ἅγιος, ὁ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαύομενος, ὁ τρισαγίω φωνῇ ὑπὸ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ ἀνυμνούμενος καὶ ὑπὸ τῶν Χερουβεὶμ δοξολογούμενος, καὶ ὑπὸ πάσης ἐπουρανοῦ δύναμews προσκυνούμενος ὁ ἐκ τοῦ μὴ ὄντος εἰς τὸ εἶναι παραγαγὼν τὰ σύμπαντα ὁ κτίσας τὸν ἄνθρωπον κατ' εἰκόνα σὴν καὶ ὁμοίωσιν καὶ παντὶ σου χαρίσματι κατακοσμήσας, ὁ διδοὺς αἰτοῦντι σοφίαν καὶ σύνεσιν, καὶ μὴ παρορῶν ἁμαρτάνοντα, ἀλλὰ θέμενος ἐπὶ σωτηρίᾳ μετάνοιαν, ὁ καταξιώσας ἡμᾶς, τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἀναξίους δούλους σου, καὶ ἐν τῇ ὥρᾳ ταύτῃ στῆναι κατενώπιον τῆς δόξης τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου, καὶ τὴν ὀφειλομένην σοι προσκύνησιν καὶ δοξολογίαν προσάγειν. Αὐτός, Δέσποτα, πρόσδεξαι καὶ ἐκ στόματος ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν τὸν Τρισάγιον ὕμνον καὶ ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί σου. Συγχώρησον ἡμῖν πᾶν πλημμέλημα, ἐκούσιόν τε καὶ ἀκούσιον, ἁγίασον ἡμῶν τὰς ψυχὰς καὶ τὰ σώματα καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ὁσιότητι λατρεύειν σοι πάσας τὰς ἡμέρας τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, πρεσβείας τῆς ἁγίας Θεοτόκου, καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνος σοι εὐαρεστησάντων.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι Ἅγιος εἶ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ...

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

...καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

### Ὁ ΤΡΙΣΑΓΙΟΣ ΥΜΝΟΣ

Ἅγιος ὁ Θεός, ἅγιος Ἰσχυρός, ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς. (ἐκ γ')

Δόξα Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ καὶ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι.  
Καὶ νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.  
Ἀμήν.

Ἅγιος Ἀθάνατος, ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς.

## DEACON

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

## PRIEST (in a low voice)

### THE PRAYER OF THE TRISAGION HYMN

O Holy God, Who is resting among the holy ones, praised by the Seraphim with the thrice-holy voice, glorified by the Cherubim, and worshiped by every celestial power, You have brought all things into being out of nothing. You have created man according to Your image and likeness and adorned him with all the gifts of Your grace. You give wisdom and understanding to the one who asks, and You overlook not the sinner, but have set repentance as the way of salvation. You have granted us, Your humble and unworthy servants, to stand even at this hour before the glory of Your holy Altar of sacrifice and to offer to You due worship and praise. Master, accept the Trisagion Hymn also from the lips of us sinners, and visit us in Your goodness. Forgive all our voluntary and involuntary transgressions, sanctify our souls and bodies, and grant that we may worship You in holiness all the days of our lives, through the intercessions of the holy Theotokos and of all the saints who have pleased You throughout the ages.

## PRIEST

For You, our God, are holy, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever,

## DEACON

And to the ages of ages.

## CHOIR

Amen.

### THE TRISAGION HYMN

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us. (3) <sup>[GOA]</sup>

Glory to the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit. Both now and ever and to the ages of ages.  
Amen.

Holy Immortal, have mercy on us.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Δύναμις.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Κέλευσον, Δέσποτα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εύλογημένος ό έρχόμενος έν όνόματι Κυρίου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ευλόγησον, Δέσποτα, την άνω καθέδραν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ευλογημένος εί, ό επί θρόνου δόξης της βασιλείας σου, ό καθήμενος επί των Χερουβείμ, πάντοτε, νύν και άεί και είς τούς αιώνας των αιώνων. Άμήν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Δύναμις.**

Άγιος ό Θεός, άγιος Ίσχυρός, άγιος Άθάνατος, έλέησον ήμάς.

**Ό Απόστολος**

ΔΕΥΤΕΡΑ ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΝΗΣΤΕΙΩΝ

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Προκείμενον. Ήχος α΄. Ψαλμός 32.

Γένοιτο, Κύριε, τό έλεός σου έφ' ήμάς, καθάπερ ήλπισαμεν επί σέ.

**Στίχ.** Αγαλλιᾶσθε, δίκαιοι, έν Κυρίῳ· τοῖς εϋθέσι πρέπει αἴνεσις.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Πρός Έβραίους Έπιστολής Παύλου τό ανάγνωσμα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**DEACON**

Dynamis.

**DEACON** (in a low voice)

Command, Master.

**PRIEST**

Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord.

**DEACON**

Master, bless the throne on high.

**PRIEST**

Blessed are You upon the throne of the glory of Your kingdom, enthroned upon the Cherubim always, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

**CHOIR**

**Dynamis.**

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us. [GOA]

**The Epistle**

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**READER**

Prokeimenon. Mode 1. Psalm 32.

Let Your mercy, O Lord, be upon us, as we hope in You. [SAAS]

**Verse:** Rejoice greatly in the Lord, O righteous ones; praise is fitting for the upright.

[SAAS]

**DEACON**

Wisdom.

**READER**

The reading is from Paul's Letter to the Hebrews.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**ΑΝΑΓΝΩΣΤΗΣ**

Εβρ 1:10-14, 2:1-3

Κατ' ἀρχάς σὺ, Κύριε, τὴν γῆν ἐθεμελίωσας, καὶ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου εἰσιν οἱ οὐρανοί· αὐτοὶ ἀπολοῦνται, σὺ δὲ διαμένεις· καὶ πάντες ὡς ἱμάτιον παλαιωθήσονται, καὶ ὡσεὶ περιβόλαιον ἐλίξεις αὐτούς, καὶ ἀλλαγῆσονται· σὺ δὲ ὁ αὐτὸς εἶ, καὶ τὰ ἔτη σου οὐκ ἐκλείψουσι. Πρὸς τίνα δὲ τῶν ἀγγέλων εἴρηκέ ποτε· κάθου ἐκ δεξιῶν μου ἕως ἂν θῶ τοὺς ἐχθρούς σου ὑποπόδιον τῶν ποδῶν σου; οὐχὶ πάντες εἰσὶ λειτουργικὰ πνεύματα εἰς διακονίαν ἀποστελλόμενα διὰ τοὺς μέλλοντας κληρονομεῖν σωτηρίαν; Διὰ τοῦτο δεῖ περισσοτέρως ἡμᾶς προσέχειν τοῖς ἀκουσθεῖσι, μή ποτε παραρῦθῶμεν. Εἰ γὰρ ὁ δι' Ἀγγέλων λαληθεὶς λόγος ἐγένετο βέβαιος, καὶ πᾶσα παράβασις καὶ παρακοή ἔλαβεν ἔνδικον μισθαποδοσίαν, πῶς ἡμεῖς ἐκφευξόμεθα τηλικαύτης ἀμελήσαντες σωτηρίας; ἤτις ἀρχὴν λαβοῦσα λαλεῖσθαι διὰ τοῦ Κυρίου, ὑπὸ τῶν ἀκουσάντων εἰς ἡμᾶς ἐβεβαιώθη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη σοι τῷ ἀναγινώσκοντι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀλληλούϊα. ᾠδὴ α΄. Ψαλμὸς 17.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. α΄.** Ὁ Θεὸς ὁ διδοὺς ἐκδικήσεις ἐμοί, καὶ ὑποτάξας λαοὺς ὑπ' ἐμέ.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**Στίχ. β΄.** Μεγαλύνων τὰς σωτηρίας τοῦ βασιλέως αὐτοῦ, καὶ ποιῶν ἔλεος τῷ χριστῷ αὐτοῦ.

Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα. Ἀλληλούϊα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

EYXH TOY EYAGΓELIOY

Ἐλλαμψον ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, φιλόανθρωπε Δέσποτα, τὸ τῆς σῆς θεογνωσίας ἀκήρατον φῶς, καὶ τοὺς τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν ὀφθαλμοὺς διάνοιζον εἰς τὴν τῶν εὐαγγελικῶν σου κηρυγμάτων κατανόησιν. Ἔνθεος ἡμῖν καὶ

**READER**

Heb. 1:10-14; 2:1-3

"In the beginning, Thou, Lord, didst found the earth in the beginning, and the heavens are the work of thy hands; they will perish, but thou remainest; they will all grow old like a garment, like a mantle thou wilt roll them up, and they will be changed. But thou art the same, and thy years will never end." But to what angel has he ever said, "Sit at my right hand, till I make thy enemies a stool for thy feet?" Are they not all ministering spirits sent forth to serve, for the sake of those who are to obtain salvation? Therefore we must pay closer attention to what we have heard, lest we drift away from it. For if the message declared by angels was valid and every transgression or disobedience received a just retribution, how shall we escape if we neglect such a great salvation? It was declared at first by the Lord, and it was attested to us by those who heard him. [RSV]

**PRIEST**

Peace be with you.

**CHOIR**

Alleluia. Mode 1. Psalm 17.

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 1:** *The God who vindicates me, and who subdued the peoples under me.* [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**Verse 2:** *He who magnifies the salvation of His king and shows mercy to His anointed.* [SAAS]

Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia.

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

THE PRAYER OF THE HOLY GOSPEL

Shine in our hearts, O Master Who loves mankind, the pure light of Your divine knowledge, and open the eyes of our mind that we may comprehend the proclamations of Your Gospels. Instill in us also reverence for Your blessed

τὸν τῶν μακαρίων σου ἐντολῶν φόβον, ἵνα τὰς σαρκικὰς ἐπιθυμίας πάσας καταπατήσαντες, πνευματικὴν πολιτείαν μετέλθωμεν, πάντα τὰ πρὸς εὐαρέστησιν τὴν σὴν καὶ φρονούντες καὶ πράττοντες. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ φωτισμὸς τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, Χριστὲ ὁ Θεός, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### **Τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον**

Τῆ ΔΕΥΤΕΡᾶ ΚΥΡΙΑΚῆ ΤΩΝ ΝΗΣΤΕΙΩΝ

#### **ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Σοφία. Ὁρθοί. Ἀκούσωμεν τοῦ ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου.

#### **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

#### **ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἐκ τοῦ κατὰ Μᾶρκον ἁγίου Εὐαγγελίου τὸ ἀνάγνωσμα.

#### **ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)

#### **ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Μαρ β' 1 - 12

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, εἰσηλθε ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἰς Καπερναοὺμ δι' ἡμερῶν καὶ ἠκούσθη ὅτι εἰς οἶκόν ἐστι. καὶ εὐθέως συνήχθησαν πολλοί, ὥστε μηκέτι χωρεῖν μηδὲ τὰ πρὸς τὴν θύραν· καὶ ἐλάλει αὐτοῖς τὸν λόγον. καὶ ἔρχονται πρὸς αὐτὸν παραλυτικὸν φέροντες, αἰρόμενον ὑπὸ τεσσάρων. καὶ μὴ δυνάμενοι προσεγγίσει αὐτῷ διὰ τὸν ὄχλον, ἀπεστέγασαν τὴν στέγην ὅπου ἦν, καὶ ἐξορύξαντες χαλῶσι τὸν κράβαττον ἐφ' ᾧ ὁ παραλυτικὸς κατέκειτο. ἰδὼν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς τὴν πίστιν αὐτῶν λέγει τῷ παραλυτικῷ· Τέκνον, ἀφέωνταί σοι αἱ ἁμαρτίαι σου. ἦσαν δὲ τινες τῶν γραμματέων ἐκεῖ καθήμενοι καὶ διαλογιζόμενοι ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις αὐτῶν· Τί οὗτος οὕτως λαλεῖ

commandments so that, having trampled down all carnal desires, we may lead a spiritual life, both thinking and doing all those things that are pleasing to You. For You, Christ our God, are the illumination of our souls and bodies, and to You we offer up glory, together with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages. Amen.

### **The Gospel**

Second Sunday in Lent

#### **DEACON**

Wisdom. Arise. Let us hear the Holy Gospel.

#### **PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

(And with your spirit.)

#### **DEACON**

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Mark.

#### **PRIEST**

Let us be attentive.

(Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.)

#### **DEACON**

Mk. 2:1-12

At that time, Jesus entered Capernaum and it was reported that he was at home. And many were gathered together, so that there was no longer room for them, not even about the door; and he was preaching the word to them. And they came, bringing to him a paralytic carried by four men. And when they could not get near him because of the crowd, they removed the roof above him; and when they had made an opening, they let down the pallet on which the paralytic lay. And when Jesus saw their faith, he said to the paralytic, "My son, your sins are forgiven." Now some of the scribes were sitting there, questioning in their hearts, "Why does this man speak thus? It is a

βλασφημίας; τίς δύναται ἀφιέναι ἁμαρτίας εἰ μὴ εἷς ὁ Θεός; καὶ εὐθέως ἐπιγνοὺς ὁ Ἰησοῦς τῷ πνεύματι αὐτοῦ ὅτι οὕτως αὐτοὶ διαλογίζονται ἐν ἑαυτοῖς εἶπεν αὐτοῖς· Τί ταῦτα διαλογίζεσθε ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ὑμῶν; τί ἐστὶν εὐκοπώτερον, εἰπεῖν τῷ παραλυτικῷ, ἀφέωνταί σου αἱ ἁμαρτίαι, ἢ εἰπεῖν, ἔγειρε καὶ ἄρον τὸν κράβαττόν σου καὶ περιπάτει; ἵνα δὲ εἰδῆτε ὅτι ἐξουσίαν ἔχει ὁ υἱὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἀφιέναι ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ἁμαρτίας - λέγει τῷ παραλυτικῷ· Σοὶ λέγω, ἔγειρε καὶ ἄρον τὸν κράβαττόν σου καὶ ὕπαγε εἰς τὸν οἶκόν σου. καὶ ἠγέρθη εὐθέως, καὶ ἄρας τὸν κράβαττον ἐξῆλθεν ἐναντίον πάντων, ὥστε ἐξίστασθαι πάντας καὶ δοξάζειν τὸν Θεὸν λέγοντας ὅτι οὐδέποτε οὕτως εἶδομεν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη σοι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.

**ΤΟ ΚΗΡΥΓΜΑ**

*(Κατὰ τὴν ἀρχαιοτάτην παράδοσιν, τὸ κήρυγμα τοῦ θείου λόγου ἐγίνετο εὐθὺς μετὰ τὰ ἀναγνώσματα.)*

blasphemy! Who can forgive sins but God alone?" And immediately Jesus, perceiving in his spirit that they thus questioned within themselves, said to them, "Why do you question thus in your hearts? Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise, take up your pallet and walk? But that you may know that the Son of man has authority on earth to forgive sins"—he said to the paralytic—"I say to you, rise, take up your pallet and go home." And he rose, and immediately took up the pallet and went out before them all; so that they were all amazed and glorified God, saying, "We never saw anything like this!"

[RSV]

**PRIEST**

Peace be with you.

**CHOIR**

Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.

**THE SERMON**

*(According to ancient tradition, the sermon was delivered following the readings.)*

*Οί ακόλουθες λιτανίες συνήθως παραλείπονται.*

## **Η ΜΕΓΑΛΗ ΕΚΤΕΝΗΣ ΙΚΕΣΙΑ ἢ ΔΕΗΣΙΣ**

### **ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

*Εἴπωμεν πάντες ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας ἡμῶν εἴπωμεν.*

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον. Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

*Κύριε παντοκράτορ ὁ Θεὸς τῶν πατέρων ἡμῶν, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.*

*Ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς κατὰ τὸ μέγα ἔλεός Σου, δεόμεθά Σου, ἐπάκουσον καὶ ἐλέησον.*

*Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος).*

*Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἱερέων, ἱερομονάχων, ἱεροδιακόνων καὶ μοναχῶν, καὶ πάσης τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ ἡμῶν ἀδελφότητος.*

*Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ ἐλέους, ζωῆς, εἰρήνης, υἰγείας, σωτηρίας, ἐπισκέψεως, συγχωρήσεως καὶ ἀφέσεως τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν τῶν δούλων τοῦ Θεοῦ, πάντων τῶν εὐσεβῶν καὶ Ὁρθοδόξων Χριστιανῶν, τῶν κατοικούντων καὶ παρεπιδημούντων ἐν τῇ (πόλει, κώμῃ), ταύτῃ, τῶν ἐνοριτῶν, ἐπιτρόπων, συνδρομητῶν καὶ ἀφιερωτῶν τοῦ ἁγίου ναοῦ τούτου.*

*Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν μακαρίων καὶ ἀοιδίμων κτιτόρων τῆς ἁγίας Ἐκκλησίας ταύτης, καὶ ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν προαναπαυσασμένων πατέρων καὶ ἀδελφῶν ἡμῶν, τῶν ἐνθάδε εὐσεβῶς, κειμένων, καὶ ἀπανταχοῦ Ὁρθοδόξων.*

*Ἐπι δεόμεθα ὑπὲρ τῶν καρποφορούντων καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν τῷ ἁγίῳ καὶ πανσέπτῳ ναῷ τούτῳ, κοπιώντων, ψαλλόντων καὶ ὑπὲρ τοῦ περισσῶτος λαοῦ, τοῦ ἀπεκδεχομένου τὸ παρά σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.*

*The following litanies are usually omitted.*

## **THE LITANY OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION**

### **DEACON**

*Let us all say with all our soul and with all our mind, let us all say.*

*(Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.)*

*Lord almighty, God of our fathers, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.*

*Have mercy on us, O God, according to Your great mercy, we pray You, hear us and have mercy.*

*Again we pray for (episcopal rank) (name).*

*Again we pray for our brethren: the priests, the hieromonks, the hierodeacons, the monastics, and all our brotherhood in Christ.*

*Again we pray for mercy, life, peace, health, salvation, protection, forgiveness, and remission of the sins of the servants of God, all pious Orthodox Christians residing and visiting in this city: the parishioners, the members of the parish council, the stewards, and benefactors of this holy church.*

*Again we pray for the blessed and ever-memorable founders of this holy church, and for all our fathers and brethren who have fallen asleep before us, who here have been piously laid to their rest, as well as the Orthodox everywhere.*

*Again we pray for those who bear fruit and do good works in this holy and all-venerable church, for those who labor and those who sing, and for the people here present who await Your great and rich mercy.*

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*EYXH THS EKTNOYΣ IKESIAS*

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, τὴν ἐκτενῆ ταύτην ἰκεσίαν πρόσδεξαι παρά τῶν σῶν δούλων καὶ ἐλέησον ἡμᾶς κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τοῦ ἐλέους σου, καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου κατὰπεμψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα τὸν λαόν σου, ἀπεκδεχόμενον τὸ παρά σοῦ μέγα καὶ πλούσιον ἔλεος.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι ἐλεήμων καὶ φιλόανθρωπος Θεὸς ὑπάρχεις, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΔΕΗΣΙΣ ΥΠΕΡ ΤΩΝ ΚΑΤΗΧΟΥΜΕΝΩΝ**

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Εὔξασθε οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τῷ Κυρίῳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Οἱ πιστοί, ὑπὲρ τῶν Κατηχουμένων δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἵνα ὁ Κύριος αὐτοὺς ἐλεήσῃ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Κατηχήσῃ αὐτοὺς τὸν λόγον τῆς ἀληθείας.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀποκαλύψῃ αὐτοῖς τὸ Εὐαγγέλιον τῆς δικαιοσύνης.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐνώσῃ αὐτοὺς τῇ ἀγίᾳ αὐτοῦ Καθολικῇ καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σῶσον, ἐλέησον, ἀντιλαβοῦ, καὶ διαφύλαξον αὐτούς, ὁ Θεός, τῇ σῆι χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι τὰς κεφαλὰς ὑμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνετε.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE PRAYER OF FERVENT SUPPLICATION*

Lord our God, accept this fervent supplication from Your servants, and have mercy on us in accordance with the abundance of Your mercy, and send down Your compassion upon us and upon all Your people who await Your great and rich mercy.

**PRIEST**

For You are a merciful God Who loves mankind, and to You we offer up glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE PRAYERS FOR THE CATECHUMENS**

**DEACON**

Catechumens, pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Let us, the faithful, pray for the catechumens.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That the Lord will have mercy on them.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will teach them the word of truth.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will reveal to them the gospel of righteousness.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That He will unite them to His holy, catholic, and apostolic Church.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Save them, have mercy on them, help them, and protect them, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Catechumens, bow your heads to the Lord.

(To You, O Lord.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*EYXH TON KATHXOYMENON*

Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ ἐν οὐρανοῖς κατοικῶν καὶ ἐπιβλέπων ἐπὶ πάντα τὰ ἔργα σου, ἐπίβλειψον ἐπὶ τοὺς δούλους σου τοὺς κατηχουμένους, τοὺς ὑποκεκλιότας τοὺς ἑαυτῶν ἀχένας ἐνώπιόν σου, καὶ δὸς αὐτοῖς τὸν ἐλαφρὸν ζυγόν σου· ποιήσον αὐτοὺς μέλη τίμια τῆς ἁγίας σου Ἐκκλησίας, καὶ καταξίωσον αὐτοὺς τοῦ λουτροῦ τῆς παλιγγενεσίας, τῆς ἀφέσεως τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν, καὶ τοῦ ἐνδύματος τῆς ἀφθαρσίας, εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν σοῦ τοῦ ἀληθινοῦ Θεοῦ ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἴνα καὶ αὐτοὶ σὺν ἡμῖν δοξάζωσι τὸ πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ὅσοι κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε. Οἱ Κατηχούμενοι, προέλθετε. Ὅσοι κατηχούμενοι προέλθετε. Μὴ τις τῶν κατηχουμένων.

**ΔΕΗΣΕΙΣ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ**

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῇ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)**

*EYXH TON ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Α'*

Σύ, Κύριε, κατέδειξας ἡμῖν τὸ μέγα τοῦτο τῆς σωτηρίας μυστήριον· σὺ καταξίωσας ἡμᾶς, τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἀναξίους δούλους σου, γενέσθαι λειτουργοὺς τοῦ ἁγίου σου θυσιαστηρίου· σὺ ἰκάνωσον ἡμᾶς τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος εἰς τὴν διακονίαν ταύτην· ἵνα ἀκατακρίτως στάντες ἐνώπιον τῆς ἁγίας δόξης σου, προσάγωμέν σοι θυσίαν αἰνέσεως· σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ ἐνεργῶν τὰ πάντα ἐν πᾶσι. Δός,

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE PRAYER FOR THE CATECHUMENS*

Lord, our God, dwelling in heaven and looking down upon all your works; look upon your servants the catechumens, who have bowed their necks to you; and grant them your light yoke. Make them honorable members of Your holy church, and count them worthy of the washing of rebirth, the forgiveness of sins and the garment of incorruption, unto knowledge of you, our true God.

**PRIEST**

So that with us they also may glorify Your most honorable and majestic name, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**DEACON**

Those who are catechumens, depart, catechumens depart, all those who are catechumens, depart. Let none of the catechumens remain.

**THE SUPPLICATION OF THE FAITHFUL**

**DEACON**

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Wisdom.

**PRIEST (in a low voice)**

*THE FIRST PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL*

You, Lord, revealed to us this great mystery of salvation; You made us, Your humble and unworthy servants, worthy to be ministers of Your holy altar; enable us for this ministry, by the power of Your Holy Spirit, so that we may stand uncondemned before of Your holy glory and offer You a sacrifice of praise; for it is You who effect all in all. Grant, Lord, that our sacrifice for our sins and for those

Κύριε, καὶ ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀμαρτημάτων καὶ τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ ἀγνοημάτων δεκτὴν γενέσθαι τὴν θυσίαν ἡμῶν καὶ εὐπρόσδεκτον ἐνώπιόν σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι πρέπει σοι πᾶσα δόξα, τιμὴ καὶ προσκύνησις, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Σοφία.

committed in ignorance by the people may be acceptable and well-pleasing before You.

**PRIEST**

For to You belong all glory, honor, and worship, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**DEACON**

Again and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Wisdom.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΩΝ ΠΙΣΤΩΝ Β'

Ὁ Θεός, ὁ ἐπισκεψάμενος ἐν ἐλέει καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς τὴν ταπεινῶσιν ἡμῶν· ὁ στήσας ἡμᾶς τοὺς ταπεινοὺς καὶ ἁμαρτωλοὺς καὶ ἀναξιούς· δούλους σου κατενώπιον τῆς ἁγίας δόξης σου, λειτουργεῖν τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ· σὺ ἐνίσχυσον ἡμᾶς, τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, εἰς τὴν διακονίαν ταύτην καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν λόγον ἐν ἀνοίξει τοῦ στόματος ἡμῶν, εἰς τὸ ἐπικαλεῖσθαι τὴν χάριν τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος ἐπὶ τῶν μελλόντων προτιθεσθαι δώρων.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅπως ὑπὸ τοῦ κράτους σου πάντοτε φυλαττόμενοι, σοὶ δόξαν ἀναπέμπωμεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**Ἡ Μεγάλη Εἰσόδος**

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Τὸ Χερουβικόν.**

Οἱ τὰ Χερουβεὶμ μυστικῶς εἰκονίζοντες, καὶ τῇ ζωοποιῷ Τριάδι τὸν τρισάγιον ὕμνον προσάδοντες, πᾶσαν νῦν βιοτικὴν ἀποθώμεθα μέριμναν. Ὡς τὸν Βασιλέα τῶν ὄλων ὑποδεξόμενοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

ΕΥΧΗ ΤΟΥ ΧΕΡΟΥΒΙΚΟΥ ΥΜΝΟΥ

Οὐδεὶς ἄξιος τῶν συνδεδεμένων ταῖς σαρκικαῖς ἐπιθυμίαις καὶ ἡδοναῖς προσέρχεσθαι ἢ προσεγγίζειν, ἢ λειτουργεῖν σοι, Βασιλεῦ τῆς δόξης· τὸ γὰρ διακονεῖν σοι μέγα καὶ φοβερόν, καὶ αὐταῖς ταῖς ἐπουρανίαις δυνάμεσιν. Ἄλλ' ὅμως, διὰ τὴν ἄφατον καὶ ἀμέτρητόν σου φιλανθρωπίαν, ἀτρέπτως καὶ ἀναλλοιώτως γέγονας ἄνθρωπος καὶ ἀρχιερεὺς ἡμῶν ἐχηρμάτισας, καὶ τῆς λειτουργικῆς ταύτης καὶ ἀναιμάκτου θυσίας τὴν ἱεουργίαν παρέδωκας ἡμῖν, ὡς Δεσπότης τῶν ἀπάντων. Σὺ γὰρ μόνος, Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δεσπάζεις τῶν ἐπουρανίων καὶ τῶν ἐπιγείων, ὁ ἐπὶ θρόνου Χερουβικοῦ ἐποχούμενος, ὁ τῶν Σεραφεὶμ Κύριος, καὶ βασιλεὺς τοῦ Ἰσραὴλ, ὁ Μόνος Ἅγιος καὶ ἐν ἁγίοις ἀναπαύομενος, σὲ τοίνυν δυσωπῶ τὸν μόνον ἀγαθὸν καὶ εὐήκοον, ἐπίβλεψον ἐπ' ἐμὲ τὸν ἁμαρτωλὸν καὶ ἀχρεῖον δούλόν σου, καὶ καθάρσιόν μου τὴν ψυχὴν καὶ τὴν

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE SECOND PRAYER OF THE FAITHFUL

O God, You have visited our lowliness in mercy and compassion. You have set us, Your lowly, sinful, and unworthy servants, to serve at Your holy altar before Your holy glory. Strengthen us for this service with the power of Your Holy Spirit, and grant speech to our lips that we may invoke the grace of Your Holy Spirit upon the gifts that are about to be offered.

**PRIEST**

That, ever guarded by Your might, we may ascribe glory to You, to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE GREAT ENTRANCE**

**CHOIR**

**The Cherubic Hymn.**

Let us, who mystically represent the Cherubim and who sing the thrice-holy hymn to the life-creating Trinity, now lay aside every worldly care. So that we may receive the King of all. [GOA]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE PRAYER OF THE CHERUBIC HYMN

No one bound by carnal desires and pleasures is worthy to approach, draw near, or minister to You, the King of Glory. For to serve You is great and awesome even for the heavenly powers. Yet, because of Your ineffable and immeasurable love for mankind, You impassibly and immutably became man. You, as the Master of all, became our high priest and delivered unto us the sacred service of this liturgical sacrifice without the shedding of blood. Indeed, Lord our God, You alone reign over the celestial and the terrestrial; borne aloft on the cherubic throne, Lord of the Seraphim and King of Israel, the only holy and resting among the holy ones. I now beseech You, Who alone are good and inclined to hear: Look down upon me, Your sinful and unprofitable servant, and cleanse my soul and heart of a wicked conscience; and enable me, by the power of Your

καρδίαν ἀπὸ συνειδήσεως πονηρᾶς, καὶ ἰκάνωσόν με τῇ  
δυνάμει τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος, ἐνδεδυμένον τὴν τῆς  
ἱερατείας χάριν, παραστῆναι τῇ ἀγία σου ταύτῃ τραπέζῃ  
καὶ ἱερουργῆσαι τὸ ἅγιον καὶ ἄχραντόν σου Σῶμα καὶ τὸ  
τίμιον Αἷμα. Σοὶ γὰρ προσέρχομαι, κλίνας τὸν ἑμαυτοῦ  
ἀχένα καὶ δέομαί σου, μὴ ἀποστρέψῃς τὸ πρόσωπόν  
σου ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, μηδὲ ἀποδοκιμάσῃς με ἐκ παίδων σου, ἀλλ'  
ἀξιῶσον προσενεχθῆναί σοι ὑπ' ἐμοῦ τοῦ ἀμαρτωλοῦ καὶ  
ἀναξίου δούλου σου τὰ δῶρα ταῦτα. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ ὁ προσφέρων  
καὶ προσφερόμενος καὶ προσδεχόμενος καὶ διαδιδόμενος,  
Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν,  
σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ  
ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν  
αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πάντων ἡμῶν μνησθεῖη Κύριος ὁ Θεὸς ἐν τῇ  
Βασιλείᾳ Αὐτοῦ, πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς  
αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἀμήν.

Ταῖς ἀγγελικαῖς ἀοράτως δορυφορούμενον  
τάξεσιν. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα. Ἀλληλουῖα.

### ΤΑ ΠΛΗΡΩΤΙΚΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Πληρώσωμεν τὴν δέησιν ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τῶν προτεθέντων τιμίων Δώρων, τοῦ  
Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ἁγίου οἴκου τούτου, καὶ τῶν μετὰ  
πίστεως, εὐλαβείας καὶ φόβου Θεοῦ εισιόντων ἐν  
αὐτῷ, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ἐπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως,  
ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου  
δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Holy Spirit, clothed with the grace of the priesthood, to stand  
before Your holy Table and celebrate the Mystery of Your  
holy and pure Body and Your precious Blood. I come before  
You with my head bowed, and I implore You: Turn not  
Your face away from me, nor reject me from among Your  
children, but make me, Your sinful and unworthy servant,  
worthy to offer these gifts to You. For You are the One Who  
both offers and is offered, the One Who is received and is  
distributed, O Christ our God, and to You we offer up glory,  
with Your Father, Who is without beginning, and Your all-  
holy and good and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and  
to the ages of ages. Amen.

### DEACON

May the Lord God remember all of us in His  
Kingdom always, now and forever and to the ages  
of ages.

### CHOIR

Amen.

Who is invisibly escorted by the angelic hosts.  
Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. <sup>[GOA]</sup>

### THE LITANY OF COMPLETION

### DEACON

Let us complete our prayer to the Lord.

### CHOIR

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented, let us  
pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For this holy house and for those who enter  
it with faith, reverence, and the fear of God, let us  
pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath,  
danger, and necessity, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον  
ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν τελείαν, ἁγίαν, εἰρηνικὴν  
καὶ ἀναμάρτητον, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

### **ΧΟΡΟΣ**

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Ἄγγελον εἰρήνης, πιστὸν ὁδηγόν, φύλακα τῶν  
ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου  
αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Συγγνώμην καὶ ἄφεσιν τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ  
τῶν πλημμελημάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου  
αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς  
ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου  
αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν ἐν  
εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετάνοιᾳ ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου  
αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Χριστιανὰ τὰ τέλη τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, ἀνώδυνα,  
ἀνεπαίσχυντα, εἰρηνικά, καὶ καλὴν ἀπολογία  
τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ  
αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τῆς Παναγίας ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης,  
ἐνδόξου Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ  
ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων  
μνημονεύσαντες, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν  
τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

*(Σοί, Κύριε.)*

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and  
protect us, O God, by Your grace.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

That the whole day may be perfect, holy,  
peaceful, and sinless, let us ask the Lord.

### **CHOIR**

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For an angel of peace, a faithful guide, a  
guardian of our souls and bodies, let us ask the  
Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For pardon and remission of our sins and  
transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For that which is good and beneficial for our  
souls, and for peace for the world, let us ask the  
Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

That we may complete the remaining time  
of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the  
Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

And let us ask for a Christian end to our life,  
peaceful, without shame and suffering, and for a  
good defense before the awesome judgment seat of  
Christ.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

Commemorating our most holy, pure, blessed,  
and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin  
Mary, with all the saints, let us commend ourselves  
and one another and our whole life to Christ our  
God.

*(To You, O Lord.)*

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

**Η ΕΥΧΗ ΤΗΣ ΠΡΟΣΚΟΜΙΔΗΣ**

Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ κτίσας ἡμᾶς καὶ ἀγαγὼν εἰς τὴν ζωὴν ταύτην, ὁ ὑποδείξας ἡμῖν ὁδοὺς εἰς σωτηρίαν, ὁ χαρισάμενος ἡμῖν οὐρανίων μυστηρίων ἀποκάλυψιν, σὺ εἶ ὁ θέμενος ἡμᾶς εἰς τὴν διακονίαν ταύτην ἐν τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Πνεύματός σου τοῦ Ἁγίου. Εὐδόκησον δὴ, Κύριε, τοῦ γενέσθαι ἡμᾶς διακόνους τῆς καινῆς σου Διαθήκης, λειτουργοὺς τῶν ἁγίων σου Μυστηρίων, πρόσδεξαι ἡμᾶς προσεγγίζοντας τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τοῦ ἐλέους σου, ἵνα γενώμεθα ἄξιοι τοῦ προσφέρειν σοὶ τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην καὶ ἀνάιμακτον θυσίαν ὑπὲρ τῶν ἡμετέρων ἁμαρτημάτων, καὶ τῶν τοῦ λαοῦ ἀνομιμάτων, ἣν προσδεξάμενος εἰς τὸ ἅγιον, ὑπερουράνιον καὶ νοερὸν σου θυσιαστήριον εἰς ὁσμὴν εὐωδίας, ἀντικατάπεμψον ἡμῖν τὴν χάριν τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος. Ἐπίβλεψον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός, καὶ ἔπιδε ἐπὶ τὴν λατρείαν ἡμῶν ταύτην, καὶ πρόσδεξαι αὐτήν, ὡς προσεδέξω Ἄβελ τὰ δῶρα, Νῶε τὰς θυσίας, Ἀβραὰμ τὰς ὀλοκαρπώσεις, Μωϋσέως καὶ Ἀαρὼν τὰς ἱερωσύνας, Σαμουὴλ τὰς εἰρηνικάς. Ὡς προσεδέξω ἐκ τῶν ἁγίων σου Ἀποστόλων τὴν ἀληθινὴν ταύτην λατρείαν, οὕτω καὶ ἐκ τῶν χειρῶν ἡμῶν τῶν ἁμαρτωλῶν πρόσδεξαι τὰ δῶρα ταῦτα, ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί σου, Κύριε, ἵνα, καταξιωθέντες λειτουργεῖν ἀμέμπτως τῷ ἁγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, εὐρωμεν τὸν μισθὸν τῶν πιστῶν καὶ φρονίμων οἰκονόμων, ἐν τῇ ἡμέρᾳ τῇ φοβερᾷ τῆς ἀνταποδόσεώς σου τῆς δικαίας.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Διὰ τῶν οἰκτιρισμῶν τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ Παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ἀγαπήσωμεν ἀλλήλους, ἵνα ἐν ὁμονοίᾳ ὁμολογήσωμεν.

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

**THE OFFERTORY PRAYER**

Lord, our God, You created us and brought us into this life. You have shown us the way to salvation and have bestowed upon us the revelation of heavenly mysteries. You have appointed us to this service by the power of Your Holy Spirit. Grant, therefore, O Lord that we may be accepted as servants of Your new Covenant and ministers of Your holy mysteries. Accept us as we draw near to Your holy altar, according to the multitude of Your mercy, that we may be worthy to offer You this spiritual sacrifice without the shedding of blood, for our sins and for the transgressions of Your people. Grant that, having accepted this sacrifice upon Your holy, heavenly, and spiritual altar as an offering of spiritual fragrance, You may in return send down upon us the grace of Your Holy Spirit. Look upon us, O God, and consider our worship; and accept it as You accepted the gifts of Abel, the sacrifices of Noah, the burnt offerings of Abraham, the priestly offices of Moses and Aaron, and the peace offerings of Samuel. As You accepted this true worship from Your holy apostles, accept also in Your goodness, O Lord, these gifts from the hands of us sinners, that being deemed worthy to serve at Your holy altar without blame, we may obtain the reward of the faithful stewards on the fearful day of Your just judgment.

**PRIEST**

Through the mercies of Your only begotten Son, with Whom You are blessed, together with Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

Peace be with all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

**DEACON**

Let us love one another, that with oneness of mind we may confess:

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

Πατέρα, Υιόν και Ἅγιον Πνεῦμα, Τριάδα  
ὁμοούσιον καὶ ἀχώριστον.

*Ἦ, ἐν συλλειτουργῳ, τὸ ἐξῆς·*

Ἀγαπήσω σε, Κύριε, ἡ ἰσχὺς μου. Κύριος  
στερέωμά μου καὶ καταφυγή μου καὶ ρύστης μου.

## ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Τὰς θύρας, τὰς θύρας. Ἐν σοφίᾳ πρόσχωμεν.

## ΛΑΟΣ

Πιστεύω εἰς ἕνα Θεόν, Πατέρα,  
Παντοκράτορα, ποιητὴν οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς,  
ὁρατῶν τε πάντων καὶ ἀορατῶν. Καὶ εἰς ἕνα  
Κύριον Ἰησοῦν Χριστόν, τὸν Υἱὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ  
τὸν μονογενῆ, τὸν ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς γεννηθέντα  
πρὸ πάντων τῶν αἰώνων· φῶς ἐκ φωτός, Θεὸν  
ἀληθινὸν ἐκ Θεοῦ ἀληθινοῦ, γεννηθέντα οὐ  
ποιηθέντα, ὁμοούσιον τῷ Πατρί, δι' οὗ τὰ πάντα  
ἐγένετο. Τὸν δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς ἀνθρώπους καὶ διὰ  
τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν κατελθόντα ἐκ τῶν  
οὐρανῶν καὶ σαρκωθέντα ἐκ Πνεύματος Ἁγίου  
καὶ Μαρίας τῆς Παρθένου καὶ ἐνανθρωπήσαντα.  
Σταυρωθέντα τε ὑπὲρ ἡμῶν ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου,  
καὶ παθόντα καὶ ταφέντα. Καὶ ἀναστάντα τῇ  
τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ κατὰ τὰς Γραφάς. Καὶ ἀνελθόντα εἰς  
τοὺς οὐρανοὺς καὶ καθεζόμενον ἐκ δεξιῶν τοῦ  
Πατρὸς. Καὶ πάλιν ἐρχόμενον μετὰ δόξης κρῖναι  
ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, οὗ τῆς βασιλείας οὐκ ἔσται  
τέλος. Καὶ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἅγιον, τὸ Κύριον,  
τὸ ζωοποιόν, τὸ ἐκ τοῦ Πατρὸς ἐκπορευόμενον,  
τὸ σὺν Πατρὶ καὶ Υἱῷ συμπροσκυνούμενον καὶ  
συνδοξαζόμενον, τὸ λαλῆσαν διὰ τῶν προφητῶν.  
Εἰς μίαν, Ἁγίαν, Καθολικὴν καὶ Ἀποστολικὴν  
Ἐκκλησίαν. Ὁμολογῶ ἓν βάπτισμα εἰς ἄφεσιν  
ἁμαρτιῶν. Προσδοκῶ ἀνάστασιν νεκρῶν. Καὶ  
ζωὴν τοῦ μέλλοντος αἰῶνος. Ἀμήν.

## CHOIR

Father, Son, and Holy Spirit: Trinity, one in  
essence and undivided. [GOA]

*Or, for concelebrations:*

I will love You, O Lord, my strength. The Lord  
is my foundation, my refuge, my deliverer. [SAAS]

## DEACON

The doors! The doors! In wisdom, let us be  
attentive!

## PEOPLE

### THE SYMBOL OF OUR FAITH

I believe in one God, Father Almighty,  
Creator of heaven and earth, and of all things  
visible and invisible. And in one Lord Jesus Christ,  
the only-begotten Son of God, begotten of the  
Father before all ages; Light of Light, true God  
of true God, begotten, not created, of one essence  
with the Father through Whom all things were  
made. Who for us men and for our salvation  
came down from heaven and was incarnate of  
the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became  
man. He was crucified for us under Pontius Pilate,  
and suffered and was buried; And He rose on  
the third day, according to the Scriptures. He  
ascended into heaven and is seated at the right  
hand of the Father; And He will come again with  
glory to judge the living and dead. His kingdom  
shall have no end. And in the Holy Spirit, the  
Lord, the Creator of life, Who proceeds from the  
Father, Who together with the Father and the Son  
is worshipped and glorified, Who spoke through  
the prophets. In one, holy, catholic, and apostolic  
Church. I confess one baptism for the forgiveness  
of sins. I look for the resurrection of the dead, and  
the life of the age to come. Amen. [GOA]

## Η ΑΓΙΑ ΑΝΑΦΟΡΑ

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Στῶμεν καλῶς, στῶμεν μετὰ φόβου, πρόσχωμεν, τὴν ἁγίαν ἀναφοράν, ἐν εἰρήνῃ προσφέρειν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἔλεον εἰρήνης, θυσίαν αἰνέσεως.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἡ χάρις τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ καὶ ἡ ἀγάπη τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς καὶ ἡ κοινωνία τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος εἶη μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἄνω σχῶμεν τὰς καρδίας.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἐχομεν πρὸς τὸν Κύριον.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄξιον καὶ δίκαιον.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ὁ ὦν, Δέσποτα, Κύριε Θεέ, Πάτερ Παντοκράτορ προσκυνητέ, ἄξιον ὡς ἀληθῶς, καὶ δίκαιον καὶ πρέπον τῆ μεγαλοπρεπείᾳ τῆς ἀγιωσύνης σου, σὲ αἰνεῖν, σὲ ὑμνεῖν, σὲ εὐλογεῖν, σὲ προσκυνεῖν, σοὶ εὐχαριστεῖν, σὲ δοξάζειν τὸν μόνον ὄντως ὄντα Θεόν, καὶ σοὶ προσφέρειν ἐν καρδίᾳ συντετριμμένη, καὶ πνεύματι ταπεινώσεως τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην λατρείαν ἡμῶν, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ χαρισάμενος ἡμῖν τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας. Καὶ τίς ἱκανὸς λαλῆσαι τὰς δυναστείας σου; ἀκουστάς ποιῆσαι πάσας τὰς αἰνέσεις σου; ἢ διηγῆσασθαι πάντα τὰ θαυμάσιά σου ἐν παντὶ καιρῷ; Δέσποτα τῶν ἀπάντων, Κύριε οὐρανοῦ καὶ γῆς, καὶ πάσης κτίσεως, ὀρωμένης τε καὶ οὐχ ὀρωμένης, ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ θρόνου δόξης, καὶ ἐπιβλέπων ἀβύσσους, ἀναρχε, ἀόρατε, ἀκατάληπτε, ἀπερίγραπτε, ἀναλλοίωτε, ὁ Πατὴρ τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, τοῦ μεγάλου Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος, τῆς ἐλπίδος ἡμῶν, ὃς ἐστὶν εἰκὼν τῆς σῆς ἀγαθότητος, σφραγὶς ἰσότητος, ἐν ἑαυτῷ δεικνὺς σε τὸν Πατέρα, Λόγος ζῶν, Θεὸς

## THE HOLY ANAPHORA

### DEACON

Let us stand aright! Let us stand in awe! Let us be attentive, that we may present the Holy Offering in peace.

### CHOIR

A mercy of peace, a sacrifice of praise.

### PRIEST

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God and Father, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, be with you all.

### CHOIR

And with your spirit.

### PRIEST

Let us lift up our hearts.

### CHOIR

We lift them up to the Lord.

### PRIEST

Let us give thanks to the Lord.

### CHOIR

It is proper and right.

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Master, Lord, God, worshipful Father almighty, it is truly just and right to the majesty of Your holiness to praise You, to hymn You, to bless You, to worship You, to give thanks to You, to glorify You, the only true God, and to offer to You this our spiritual worship with a contrite heart and a humble spirit. For You have given us to know Your truth. Who is worthy to praise Your mighty acts? Or to make known all Your praises? Or tell of all Your wonderful deeds at all times? Master of all things, Lord of heaven and earth, and of every creature visible and invisible, You are seated upon the throne of glory and behold the depths. You are without beginning, invisible, incomprehensible, beyond words, unchangeable. You are the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the great God and Savior of our hope, the image of Your goodness, the true seal of revealing in Himself You, the Father. He is the living Word, the true God, eternal wisdom, life, sanctification, power, and the true light.

ἀληθινός, ἢ πρὸ αἰώνων σοφία, ζωή, ἁγιασμός, δύναμις, τὸ φῶς τὸ ἀληθινόν, παρ' οὗ τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ ἅγιον ἐξεφάνη, τὸ τῆς ἀληθείας Πνεῦμα, τὸ τῆς υἰοθεσίας χάρισμα, ὁ ἀρράβων τῆς μελλούσης κληρονομίας, ἡ ἀπαρχὴ τῶν αἰώνιων ἀγαθῶν, ἡ ζωοποιὸς δύναμις, ἡ πηγὴ τοῦ ἁγιασμοῦ, παρ' οὗ πᾶσα κτίσις λογικὴ τε καὶ νοερά, δυναμουμένη, σοὶ λατρεύει, καὶ σοὶ τὴν αἰδίον ἀναπέμπει δοξολογίαν, ὅτι τὰ σύμπαντα δοῦλα σά· Σε γὰρ αἰνοῦσιν Ἄγγελοι, Ἀρχάγγελοι, θρόνοι, Κυριότητες, Ἀρχαί, Ἐξουσίαι, Δυνάμεις, καὶ τὰ πολυόμματα Χερουβείμ, Σοὶ παρίστανται κύκλῳ τὰ Σεραφεῖμ, ἕξ πτέρυγες τῷ ἐνί, καὶ ἕξ πτέρυγες τῷ ἐνί, καὶ ταῖς μὲν δυσὶ κατακαλύπτουσι τὰ πρόσωπα ἑαυτῶν, ταῖς δὲ δυσὶ τοὺς πόδας, καὶ ταῖς δυσὶ πετόμενα, κέκραγεν ἕτερον πρὸς τὸ ἕτερον, ἀκαταπαύστοις στόμασιν, ἀσιγήτοις δοξολογίαις.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Τὸν ἐπινίκιον ὕμνον ᾄδοντα, βοῶντα, κекραγότα, καὶ λέγοντα·

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Ἄγιος, ἅγιος, ἅγιος, Κύριος Σαβαώθ· πλήρης, ὁ οὐρανὸς καὶ ἡ γῆ τῆς δόξης σου. Ὡσαννά, ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις· εὐλογημένος ὁ ἐρχόμενος ἐν ὀνόματι Κυρίου. Ὡσαννά, ὁ ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μετὰ τούτων τῶν μακαρίων Δυνάμεων, Δέσποτα φιλάνθρωπε, καὶ ἡμεῖς οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ βοῶμεν καὶ λέγομεν· Ἄγιος εἶ, ὡς ἀληθῶς, καὶ πανάγιος, καὶ οὐκ ἔστι μέτρον τῆ μεγαλοπρεπείᾳ τῆς ἀγιωσύνης σου, καὶ ὁσιος ἐν πᾶσι τοῖς ἔργοις σου, ὅτι ἐν δικαιοσύνῃ καὶ κρίσει ἀληθινῇ πάντα ἐπήγασες ἡμῖν· πλάσας γὰρ τὸν ἄνθρωπον, χοῦν λαβὼν ἀπὸ τῆς γῆς, καὶ εἰκόνι τῆ σῆ, ὁ Θεός, τιμήσας, τέθεικας αὐτὸν ἐν τῷ Παραδείσῳ τῆς τρυφῆς, ἀθανασίαν ζωῆς, καὶ ἀπόλαυσιν αἰώνιων ἀγαθῶν, ἐν τῇ τηρήσει τῶν ἐντολῶν σου, ἐπαγγειλάμενος αὐτῷ, ἀλλὰ παρακούσαντα σοῦ τοῦ ἀληθινοῦ Θεοῦ, τοῦ κτίσαντος αὐτόν, καὶ τῇ ἀπάτῃ τοῦ ὄφεως ὑπαχθέντα, νεκρωθέντα τε τοῖς οἰκείοις αὐτοῦ παραπτώμασιν, ἐξωρίσας αὐτόν ἐν τῇ δικαιοκρίσει σου, ὁ Θεός, ἐκ τοῦ Παραδείσου εἰς τὸν κόσμον τοῦτον, καὶ ἀπέστρεψας εἰς τὴν γῆν ἐξ ἧς ἐλήφθη, οἰκονομῶν αὐτῷ τὴν ἐκ παλιγγενεσίας σωτηρίαν, τὴν ἐν αὐτῷ τῷ Χριστῷ σου· οὐ γὰρ ἀπεστράφης τὸ πλάσμα σου εἰς τέλος, ὃ ἐποίησας, ἀγαθῆ, οὐδὲ ἐπελάθου ἔργου χειρῶν σου, ἀλλ' ἐπεσκέψω πολυτρόπως, διὰ σπλάγχνα ἐλέους σου. Προφήτας ἐξαπέστειλας, ἐποίησας δυνάμεις διὰ τῶν Ἁγίων σου,

Through Him the Holy Spirit was manifested, the spirit of truth the gift of Sonship, the pledge of our future inheritance, the first fruits of eternal blessings, the life giving power, the source of sanctification through whom every rational and spiritual creature is made capable of worshiping You and giving You eternal glorification, for all things are subject to You. For You are praised by the angels, archangels, thrones, dominions, principalities, authorities, powers, and the many eyed Cherubim. Round about You stand the Seraphim, one with six wings and the other with six wings; with two they cover their faces; with two they cover their feet; with two they fly, crying out to one another with unceasing voices and everresounding praises:

### PRIEST

Singing the triumphal hymn, exclaiming, proclaiming, and saying...

### CHOIR

Holy, holy, holy, Lord Sabaoth, heaven and earth are filled with Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is He Who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. [GOA]

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Together with these blessed powers, loving Master we sinners also cry out and say: Truly You are holy and most holy, and there are no bounds to the majesty of Your holiness. You are holy in all Your works, for with righteousness and true judgment You have ordered all things for us. For having made man by taking dust from the earth, and having honored him with Your own image, O God, You placed him in a garden of delight, promising him eternal life and the enjoyment of everlasting blessings in the observance of Your commandments. But when he disobeyed You, the true God who had created him, and was led astray by the deception of the serpent becoming subject to death through his own transgressions, You, O God, in Your righteous judgment, expelled him from paradise into this world, returning him to the earth from which he was taken, yet providing for him the salvation of regeneration in Your Christ. For You did not forever reject Your creature whom You made, O Good One, nor did You forget the work of Your hands, but because of Your tender compassion, You visited him in various ways: You sent forth prophets;

τῶν καθ' ἐκάστην γενεάν εὐαρεστησάντων σοι, ἐλάλησας ἡμῖν διὰ στόματος τῶν δούλων σου τῶν Προφητῶν, προκαταγγέλλων ἡμῖν τὴν μέλλουσαν ἔσσεσθαι σωτηρίαν, νόμον ἔδωκας εἰς βοήθειαν, Ἀγγέλους ἐπέστησας φύλακας. Ὅτε δὲ ἦλθε τὰ πλήρωμα τῶν καιρῶν, ἐλάλησας ἡμῖν ἐν αὐτῷ τῷ Υἱῷ σου, δι' οὗ καὶ τοὺς αἰῶνας ἐποίησας, ὅς, ὢν ἀπάγαυσμα τῆς δόξης σου, καὶ χαρακτήρ τῆς ὑποστάσεώς σου, φέρων τε τὰ πάντα τῷ ῥήματι τῆς δυνάμεως αὐτοῦ, οὐχ ἀρπαγμὸν ἠγήσατο τὸ εἶναι ἴσα σοὶ τῷ Θεῷ καὶ Πατρὶ, ἀλλὰ, Θεὸς ὢν προαιώνιος, ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς ὤφθη, καὶ τοῖς ἀνθρώποις συνανεστράφη, καὶ ἐκ Παρθένου ἀγίας σαρκωθείς, ἐκένωσεν ἑαυτόν, μορφήν δούλου λαβὼν, σύμμορφος γενόμενος τῷ σώματι τῆς ταπεινώσεως ἡμῶν, ἵνα ἡμᾶς συμμόρφους ποιῆσῃ τῆς εἰκόνας τῆς δόξης αὐτοῦ. Ἐπειδὴ γὰρ δι' ἀνθρώπου ἡ ἁμαρτία εἰσῆλθεν εἰς τὸν κόσμον, καὶ διὰ τῆς ἁμαρτίας ὁ θάνατος, ἠδύοκησεν ὁ μονογενὴς σου Υἱός, ὁ ὢν ἐν τοῖς κόλποις σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρός, γενόμενος ἐκ γυναικός, τῆς ἀγίας Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας, γενόμενος ὑπὸ νόμον, κατακρίναι τὴν ἁμαρτίαν ἐν τῇ σαρκὶ αὐτοῦ, ἵνα οἱ ἐν τῷ Ἀδάμ ἀποθνήσκοντες, ζωοποιηθῶσιν ἐν αὐτῷ τῷ Χριστῷ σου, καὶ ἐμπολιτευσάμενος τῷ κόσμῳ τούτῳ, δοὺς προστάγματα σωτηρίας, ἀποστήσας ἡμᾶς τῆς πλάνης τῶν εἰδώλων, προσήγαγε τῇ ἐπιγνώσει σοῦ τοῦ ἀληθινοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρός, κτησάμενος ἡμᾶς ἑαυτῷ λαὸν περιούσιον, βασιλείον ἱεράτευμα, ἔθνος ἅγιον, καὶ καθάρισας ἐν ὕδατι, καὶ ἀγιάσας τῷ Πνεύματι τῷ ἁγίῳ, ἔδωκεν ἑαυτόν ἀντάλλαγμα τῷ θανάτῳ, ἐν ᾧ κατειχόμεθα, πεπραμένοι ὑπὸ τὴν ἁμαρτίαν, καὶ κατελθὼν διὰ τοῦ Σταυροῦ εἰς τόν, Ἄδην, ἵνα πληρώσῃ ἑαυτοῦ τὰ πάντα, ἔλυσε τὰς δούνας τοῦ θανάτου, καὶ ἀναστὰς τῇ τρίτῃ ἡμέρᾳ, καὶ ὁδοποιήσας πάσῃ σαρκὶ τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν Ἀνάστασιν, καθότι οὐκ ἦν δυνατὸν κρατεῖσθαι ὑπὸ τῆς φθορᾶς τὸν ἀρχηγόν τῆς ζωῆς, ἐγένετο ἀπαρχὴ τῶν κεκοιμημένων, πρωτότοκος ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, ἵνα ἢ αὐτὸς τὰ πάντα ἐν πᾶσι πρωτεῶν· καὶ ἀνελθὼν εἰς τοὺς οὐρανοὺς, ἐκάθισεν ἐν δεξιᾷ τῆς μεγαλωσύνης σου ἐν ὑψηλοῖς, ὅς καὶ ἦξει, ἀποδοῦναι ἐκάστῳ κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ. Κατέλιπε δὲ ἡμῖν ὑπομνήματα τοῦ σωτηρίου αὐτοῦ πάθους ταῦτα, ἃ προτεθεικάμεν ἐνώπιόν σου, κατὰ τὰς αὐτοῦ ἐντολάς. Μέλλων γὰρ ἐξίνααι ἐπὶ τὸν ἐκούσιον, καὶ αἰδίμον καὶ ζωοποιὸν αὐτοῦ θάνατον, τῇ νυκτί, ἣ παρεδίδου ἑαυτόν ὑπὲρ τῆς τοῦ κόσμου ζωῆς, λαβὼν ἄρτον ἐπὶ τῶν ἁγίων αὐτοῦ καὶ ἀχράντων χειρῶν, καὶ ἀναδείξας σοὶ τῷ Θεῷ καὶ Πατρὶ, εὐχαριστήσας, εὐλογήσας, ἀγιάσας, κλάσας·

You performed mighty works by Your saints who in every generation have pleased You. You spoke to us by the mouth of Your servants the prophets, announcing to us the salvation which was to come; You gave us the law to help us; You appointed angels as guardians. And when the fullness of time had come, You spoke to us through Your Son Himself, through whom You created the ages. He, being the splendor of Your glory and the image of Your being, upholding all things by the word of His power, thought it not robbery to be equal with You, God and Father. But, being God before all ages, He appeared on earth and lived with humankind. Becoming incarnate from a holy Virgin, He emptied Himself, taking the form of a servant, conforming to the body of our lowliness, that He might change us in the likeness of the image of His glory. For, since through man sin came into the world and through sin death, it pleased Your only begotten Son, who is in Your bosom, God and Father, born of a woman, the holy Theotokos and ever virgin Mary; born under the law, to condemn sin in His flesh, so that those who died in Adam may be brought to life in Him, Your Christ. He lived in this world, and gave us precepts of salvation. Releasing us from the delusions of idolatry, He guided us to the sure knowledge of You, the true God and Father. He acquired us for Himself, as His chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation. Having cleansed us by water and sanctified us with the Holy Spirit, He gave Himself as ransom to death in which we were held captive, sold under sin. Descending into Hades through the cross, that He might fill all things with Himself, He loosed the bonds of death. He rose on the third day, having opened a path for all flesh to the resurrection from the dead, since it was not possible that the Author of life would be dominated by corruption. So He became the first fruits of those who have fallen asleep, the first born of the dead, that He might be Himself the first in all things. Ascending into heaven, He sat at the right hand of Your majesty on high and He will come to render to each according to His works. As memorials of His saving passion, He has left us these gifts which we have set forth before You according to His commands. For when He was about to go forth to His voluntary, ever memorable, and life-giving death, on the night on which He was delivered up for the life of the world, He took bread in His holy and pure hands, and presenting it to You, God and Father, and offering thanks, blessing, sanctifying, and breaking it:

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἔδωκε τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς καὶ Ἀποστόλοις, εἰπὼν· Λάβετε, φάγετε. τοῦτό μου ἐστὶ τὸ Σῶμα, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν κλόμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** *(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Ὅμοίως καὶ τὸ ποτήριον ἐκ τοῦ γεννήματος τῆς ἀμπέλου λαβὼν, κεράσας, εὐχαριστήσας, εὐλογήσας, ἀγιάσας·

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἔδωκε τοῖς ἁγίοις αὐτοῦ Μαθηταῖς καὶ Ἀποστόλοις, εἰπὼν· Πίετε ἐξ αὐτοῦ πάντες. Τοῦτό ἐστὶ τὸ Αἷμα μου, τοῦ τῆς Καινῆς Διαθήκης, τὸ ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν καὶ πολλῶν ἐκχυνόμενον εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** *(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Τοῦτο ποιεῖτε εἰς τὴν ἐμὴν ἀνάμνησιν· ὅσάκις γὰρ ἂν ἐσθίητε τὸν Ἄρτον τοῦτον, καὶ τὸ Ποτήριον τοῦτο πίνητε, τὸν ἐμὸν θάνατον καταγγέλλετε, τὴν ἐμὴν Ἀνάστασιν ὁμολογεῖτε. Μεμνημένοι οὖν, Δέσποτα, καὶ ἡμεῖς τῶν σωτηρίων αὐτοῦ Παθημάτων, τοῦ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, τῆς τριημέρου Ταφῆς, τῆς ἐκ νεκρῶν Ἀναστάσεως, τῆς εἰς οὐρανοὺς Ἀνόδου, τῆς ἐκ δεξιῶν σοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ Πατρὸς Καθέδρας, καὶ τῆς ἐνδόξου καὶ φοβεραῖς δευτέρας αὐτοῦ Παρουσίας,

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τὰ Σὰ ἐκ τῶν Σῶν, σοὶ προσφέρομεν κατὰ πάντα, καὶ διὰ πάντα.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Σὲ ὑμνοῦμεν, σὲ εὐλογοῦμεν, σοὶ εὐχαριστοῦμεν, Κύριε, καὶ δεόμεθά σου, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** *(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Διὰ τοῦτο, Δέσποτα, Πανάγιε καὶ ἡμεῖς οἱ ἁμαρτωλοὶ καὶ ἀνάξιοι δοῦλοί σου οἱ καταξιοθέντες λειτουργεῖν τῷ

**PRIEST**

He gave it to His holy disciples and apostles saying: Take, eat, this is my body which is broken for you and for the forgiveness of sins.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST** *(in a low voice)*

Likewise, He took the cup of the fruit of vine, and having mingled it, offering thanks, blessing, and sanctifying it.

**PRIEST**

He gave it to His holy disciples and apostles saying: Drink of this all of you. This is my blood of the new Covenant, shed for you and for many, for the forgiveness of sins.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST** *(in a low voice)*

Do this in remembrance of me. For as often as you eat this Bread and drink this Cup, you proclaim my death, and you confess my resurrection. Therefore, Master, we also, remembering His saving passion and life giving cross, His three-day burial and resurrection from the dead, His ascension into heaven, and enthronement at Your right hand, God and Father, and His glorious and awesome second coming.

**PRIEST**

Your own of Your own we offer to You, in all and for all.

**CHOIR**

We praise You, we bless You, we give thanks to You, and we pray to You, Lord our God. [GOA]

**PRIEST** *(in a low voice)*

Therefore, most holy Master, we also, Your sinful and unworthy servants, whom You have made worthy to serve at

ἀγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, οὐ διὰ τὰς δικαιοσύνας ἡμῶν (οὐ γὰρ ἐποιήσαμεν τι ἀγαθὸν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς), ἀλλὰ διὰ τὰ ἔλεη σου καὶ τοὺς οἰκτιρμούς σου, οὓς ἐξέχεας πλουσίως ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, θαρρόυντες προσεγγίζομεν τῷ ἀγίῳ σου θυσιαστηρίῳ, καὶ προθέντες τὰ ἀντίτυπα τοῦ ἁγίου Σώματος καὶ Αἵματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου, σοῦ δεόμεθα, καὶ σὲ παρακαλοῦμεν, Ἄγιε, Ἁγίων, εὐδοκία τῆς σῆς ἀγαθότητος, ἐλθεῖν τὸ Πνεῦμά σου τὸ Ἅγιον ἐφ' ἡμᾶς, καὶ ἐπὶ τὰ προκειμένα Δῶρα ταῦτα, καὶ εὐλογεῖσαι αὐτά, καὶ ἀγιάσαι, καὶ ἀναδεῖξαι,

Τὸν μὲν ἄρτον τοῦτον αὐτὸ τὸ τίμιον Σῶμα τοῦ Κυρίου καὶ Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

(*Ἀμήν.*)

Τὸ δὲ ποτήριον τοῦτον αὐτὸ τὸ τίμιον Αἶμα τοῦ Κυρίου καὶ Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

(*Ἀμήν.*)

Τὸ ἐκχυθὲν ὑπὲρ τῆς τοῦ κόσμου ζωῆς καὶ σωτηρίας.

(*Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν. Ἀμήν.*)

Ἡμᾶς δὲ πάντας, τοὺς ἐκ τοῦ ἑνὸς Ἄρτου καὶ τοῦ Ποτηρίου μετέχοντας, ἐνώσας ἀλλήλοις εἰς ἐνὸς Πνεύματος Ἁγίου κοινωνίαν, καὶ μηδένα ἡμῶν εἰς κριμα, ἢ εἰς κατάκριμα ποιήσας μετασχεῖν τοῦ ἁγίου Σώματος, καὶ Αἵματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου, ἀλλ' ἵνα εὕρωμεν ἔλεον καὶ χάριν μετὰ πάντων τῶν, Ἁγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων, Προπατόρων, Πατέρων, Πατριαρχῶν, Προφητῶν, Ἀποστόλων, Κηρύκων, Εὐαγγελιστῶν, Μαρτύρων, Ὁμολογητῶν, Διδασκάλων, καὶ παντὸς πνεύματος δικαίου ἐν πίστει τετελειωμένου.

## ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐξαιρέτως τῆς Παναγίας, ἀχράντου, ὑπερευλογημένης, ἐνδόξου, Δεσποίνης ἡμῶν Θεοτόκου καὶ ἀειπαρθένου Μαρίας.

## ΧΟΡΟΣ

### Ὕμνος εἰς τὴν Θεοτόκον.

Ἐπὶ σοὶ χαίρει, Κεχαριτωμένη, πᾶσα ἡ κτίσις, ἀγγέλων τὸ σύστημα, καὶ ἀνθρώπων τὸ γένος, ἡγιασμένε ναέ, καὶ Παράδεισε λογικέ, παρθενικὸν καύχημα· ἐξ ἧς Θεὸς ἐσαρκώθη, καὶ παιδίον γέγονεν, ὁ πρὸ αἰώνων ὑπάρχων Θεὸς ἡμῶν· τὴν γὰρ σὴν μήτραν θρόνον ἐποίησε, καὶ τὴν σὴν γαστέρα, πλατυτέρα οὐρανῶν ἀπειργάσατο. Ἐπὶ

Your holy altar, not because of our own righteousness (for we have not done anything good upon the earth), but because of Your mercy and compassion, which You have so richly poured upon us, we dare to approach Your holy altar, and bring forth the symbols of the holy Body and Blood of Your Christ. We pray to You and call upon You, O Holy of Holies, that by the favor of Your goodness, Your Holy Spirit may come upon us and upon the gifts here presented, to bless, sanctify,

And make this bread to be the precious Body of our Lord and God and Savior Jesus Christ.

(*Amen.*)

And this cup to be the precious Blood of our Lord and God and Savior Jesus Christ.

(*Amen.*)

Shed for the life and salvation of the world.

(*Amen. Amen. Amen.*)

And unite us all to one another who become partakers of the one Bread and the Cup in the communion of the one Holy Spirit. Grant that none of us may partake of the holy Body and Blood of Your Christ to judgment or condemnation; but, that we may find mercy and grace with all the saints who through the ages have pleased You: forefathers, fathers, patriarchs, prophets, apostles, preachers, evangelists, martyrs, confessors, teachers, and every righteous spirit made perfect in faith.

## PRIEST

Especially for our most holy, pure, blessed, and glorious Lady, the Theotokos and ever-virgin Mary.

## CHOIR

### Hymn to the Theotokos.

In you, O Lady full of grace, rejoices all creation, the orders of Angels and the human race together. O hallowed temple and rational Garden of Paradise, the pride of virgins, from you did God become incarnate, and our God who existed before the ages became a child. For He made your womb a throne for himself, and your body He made wider

σοὶ χαίρει, Κεχαριτωμένη, πᾶσα ἡ κτίσις· δόξα σοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Τοῦ ἁγίου Ἰωάννου, Προφήτου, Προδρόμου καὶ Βαπτιστοῦ, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφύμων Ἀποστόλων, τοῦ ἁγίου (τοῦ δεῖνος), οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν, καὶ πάντων σου τῶν Ἁγίων, ὧν ταῖς ἱκεσίαις ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ Θεός. Καὶ μνήσθητι πάντων τῶν προκεκοιμημένων ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ἀναστάσεως ζωῆς αἰωνίου (καὶ μνημονεῦει ἐνταῦθα ὀνομαστί καὶ ὧν βούλεται τεθνεώτων), καὶ ἀνάπαυσον αὐτούς, ὅπου ἐπισκοπεῖ τὸ φῶς τοῦ προσώπου σου. Ἔτι σοῦ δεόμεθα· Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῆς Ἁγίας σου Καθολικῆς καὶ Ἀποστολικῆς Ἐκκλησίας, τῆς ἀπὸ περάτων ἕως περάτων τῆς οἰκουμένης, καὶ εἰρήνευσον αὐτήν, ἣν περιποιήσω τῷ τιμίῳ Αἵματι τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου, καὶ τὸν ἅγιον Οἶκον τοῦτον στερέωσον μέχρι τῆς συντελείας τοῦ αἰῶνος· Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν τὰ Δῶρά σοι ταῦτα προσκομισάντων, καὶ ὑπὲρ ὧν, καὶ δι' ὧν, καὶ ἐφ' οἷς αὐτὰ προσεκόμισαν· Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν καρποφορούντων, καὶ καλλιεργούντων ἐν ταῖς ἁγίαις σου Ἐκκλησίαις καὶ μεμνημένων τῶν πενήτων. Ἄμειψαι αὐτούς τοῖς πλουσίοις σου καὶ ἐπουρανίοις χαρίσμασι, χάρισαι αὐτοῖς ἀντὶ τῶν ἐπιγείων, τὰ ἐπουράνια, ἀντὶ τῶν προσκαίρων, τὰ αἰώνια, ἀντὶ τῶν φθαρτῶν, τὰ ἄφθαρτα. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν ἐν ἐρημίαις, καὶ ὄρεσι, καὶ σπηλαίοις, καὶ ταῖς ὅποις τῆς γῆς. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τῶν ἐν παρθενίᾳ, καὶ εὐλαβείᾳ καὶ ἀσκήσει, καὶ σεμνῇ πολιτείᾳ διαγόντων. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πάσης ἀρχῆς καὶ ἐξουσίας, οὗς ἐδικαίωσας βασιλεύειν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Χάρισαι αὐτοῖς βαθεῖαν καὶ ἀναφαίρετον εἰρήνην, λάλησον εἰς τὴν καρδίαν αὐτῶν ἀγαθὰ ὑπὲρ τῆς Ἐκκλησίας σου καὶ παντὸς τοῦ λαοῦ σου, ἵνα ἐν τῇ γαλήνῃ αὐτῶν ἡρεμον καὶ ἡσύχιον βίον διάγωμεν, ἐν πάσῃ εὐσεβείᾳ καὶ σεμνότητι. Τοὺς ἀγαθοὺς, ἐν τῇ ἀγαθότητι σου διατήρησον. Τοὺς πονηροὺς, ἀγαθοὺς ποιήσον ἐν τῇ χρηστότητι σου. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ περιστώτος λαοῦ, καὶ τῶν δι' εὐλόγους αἰτίας ἀπολειφθέντων, καὶ ἐλέησον αὐτούς καὶ ἡμᾶς, κατὰ τὸ πλῆθος τοῦ ἐλέους σου. Τὰ ταμεῖα αὐτῶν ἐμπλησον παντὸς ἀγαθοῦ, τὰς συζυγίας αὐτῶν ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ ὁμονοίᾳ διατήρησον, τὰ νήπια ἐκθρεψον, τὴν νεότητα παιδαγωγήσον, τὸ γῆρας περικράτησον, τοὺς ὀλιγοψύχους παραμύθησαι, τοὺς ἐσκορπισμένους ἐπισυνάγαγε, τοὺς πεπλανημένους ἐπανάγαγε, καὶ σὺνάψον τῇ Ἁγίᾳ σου Καθολικῇ, καὶ Ἀποστολικῇ Ἐκκλησίᾳ. Τοὺς ὄχλουμένους ὑπὸ πνευμάτων ἀκαθάρτων ἐλευθέρωσον, τοῖς πλέουσι σύμπλευσον, τοῖς ὁδοιποροῦσι συνόδευσον,

than the heavens. In you, O Lady full of grace, rejoices all creation. Glory to you. [SD]

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

For Saint John the prophet, forerunner, and baptist; for the holy, glorious, and most honorable apostles; for Saint(s) (Name's), whose memory we commemorate today; and for all Your saints, through whose supplications, O God, visit us. Remember also all who have fallen asleep in the hope of the resurrection to eternal life (here the priest commemorates the names of the deceased). And grant them rest, our God, where the light of Your countenance shines. Again, we pray to You, be mindful of Your holy, catholic, and apostolic Church, which is from one end of the inhabited earth to the other. Grant peace to her which You have obtained with the precious blood of Your Christ. Strengthen also this holy house to the end of the ages. Remember, Lord, those who have brought You these gifts, and for whom and through whom and the intentions for which they were offered. Remember, Lord, those who bear fruit and do good works in Your holy churches, and those who remember the poor. Reward them with Your rich and heavenly gifts. Grant them in return for earthly things, heavenly gifts; for temporal, eternal; for corruptible, incorruptible. Remember, Lord, those who are in the deserts, on mountains, in caverns, and in the chambers of the earth. Remember, Lord, those living in chastity and godliness, in asceticism and holiness of life. Remember, Lord, this country and all those in public service whom you have allowed to govern on earth. Grant them profound and lasting peace. Speak to their hearts good things concerning your Church and all your people that through the faithful conduct of their duties we may live peaceful and serene lives in all piety and holiness. Sustain the good in their goodness; make the wicked good through Your goodness. Remember, Lord, the people here presented and those who are absent with good cause. Have mercy on them and on us according to the multitude of Your mercy. Fill their treasuries with every good thing; preserve their marriages in peace and harmony; nurture the infants; instruct the youth; strengthen the aged; give courage to the faint hearted; reunite those separated; bring back those in error and unite them to Your holy, catholic, and apostolic Church. Free those who are held captive by unclean spirits; sail with those who sail; travel with those who travel; defend the widows; protect the orphans; liberate the captives; heal the sick. Remember, Lord, those who are

χιρῶν πρόσθητι, ὀρφανῶν ὑπεράσπισον, αἰχμαλώτους ῥύσαι, νοσοῦντας ἴασαι. Τῶν ἐν βήμασι, καὶ μετάλλοις, καὶ ἔξορίαις, καὶ πικραῖς δουλείαις, καὶ πάσῃ θλίψει καὶ ἀνάγκῃ καὶ περιστάσει ὄντων, μνημόνευσον, ὁ Θεός, καὶ πάντων τῶν δεομένων τῆς μεγάλης σου εὐσπλαγχνίας, καὶ τῶν ἀγαπώντων ἡμᾶς καὶ τῶν μισούντων, καὶ τῶν ἐντειλαμένων ἡμῖν τοῖς ἀναξιῶς εὐχεσθαι ὑπὲρ αὐτῶν. Καὶ παντὸς τοῦ Λαοῦ σου μνήσθητι, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ ἐπὶ πάντα ἔκχεον τὸ πλοῦσίόν σου ἔλεος, πᾶσι παρέχων τὰ πρὸς σωτηρίαν αἰτήματα. Καὶ ὧν ἡμεῖς οὐκ ἐμνημονεύσαμεν, δι' ἄγνοιαν ἢ λήθην, ἢ πληθος ὀνομάτων, αὐτὸς μνημόνευσον, ὁ Θεός, ὁ εἰδὼς ἐκάστου τὴν ἡλικίαν, καὶ τὴν προσηγορίαν, ὁ εἰδὼς ἕκαστον ἐκ κοιλίας μητρὸς αὐτοῦ. Σὺ γὰρ εἶ, Κύριε, ἡ βοήθεια τῶν ἀβοηθήτων, ἡ ἐλπίς τῶν ἀπηλπισμένων, ὁ τῶν χειμαζομένων σωτήρ, ὁ τῶν πλεόντων λιμῆν, ὁ τῶν νοσοῦντων ἰατρός. Αὐτὸς τοῖς πᾶσι τὰ πάντα γενοῦ, ὁ εἰδὼς ἕκαστον, καὶ τὸ αἶτημα αὐτοῦ, οἶκον, καὶ τὴν χρείαν αὐτοῦ. Ῥῦσαι, Κύριε, τὴν πόλιν καὶ χώραν ταύτην, καὶ πᾶσαν πόλιν, καὶ χώραν, ἀπὸ λιμοῦ, λοιμοῦ, σεισμοῦ, καταποντισμοῦ, πυρός, μαχαίρας, ἐπιδρομῆς ἀλλοφύλων, καὶ ἐμφυλίου πολέμου.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ἐν πρώτοις, μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ (ἀρχιερατικοῦ βαθμοῦ) ἡμῶν (τοῦ δεῖνος). ὄν χάρισαι ταῖς ἀγίαις σου Ἐκκλησίαις ἐν εἰρήνῃ, σῶσον, ἔντιμον, ὑγιᾶ, μακροημερεύοντα, καὶ ὀρθοτομοῦντα τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας.

### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Καὶ ὧν ἕκαστος κατὰ διάνοιαν ἔχει, καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Καὶ πάντων καὶ πασῶν.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, πάσης Ἐπισκοπῆς Ὁρθοδόξων, τῶν ὀρθοτομοῦντων τὸν λόγον τῆς σῆς ἀληθείας. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, κατὰ τὸ πληθος τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν σου, καὶ τῆς ἐμῆς ἀναξιότητος, συγχώρησον μοι πᾶν πλημμέλημα ἐκούσιόν τε καὶ ἀκούσιον, καὶ μὴ διὰ τὰς ἐμὰς ἀμαρτίας κωλύσης τὴν χάριν τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος ἀπὸ τῶν προκειμένων Δώρων. Μνήσθητι, Κύριε, τοῦ Πρεσβυτερίου, τῆς ἐν Χριστῷ Διακονίας, καὶ παντὸς ἱερατικοῦ Τάγματος, καὶ μηδένα ἡμῶν καταισχύνης τῶν κυκλούντων τὸ ἅγιόν σου θυσιαστήριον. Ἐπίσκεψαι ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ χρηστότητί σου, Κύριε, ἐπιφάνηθι

in mines, in exile, in harsh labor, and those in every kind of affliction, necessity, or distress; those who entreat your loving kindness; those who love us and those who hate us; those who have asked us to pray for them, unworthy though we may be. Remember, Lord our God, all Your people, and pour out Your rich mercy upon them, granting them their petitions for salvation. Remember, O God, all those whom we have not remembered through ignorance, forgetfulness or because of their multitude since You know the name and age of each, even from their mother's womb. For You, Lord, are the helper of the helpless, the hope of the hopeless, the savior of the afflicted, the haven of the voyager, and the physician of the sick. Be all things to all, You who know each person, his requests, his household, and his need. Deliver this community and city, O Lord, and every city and town, from famine, plague, earthquake, flood, fire, sword, invasion of foreign enemies, and civil war.

### PRIEST

Among the first remember, Lord, (episcopal rank) (name). grant him to Your holy churches in peace, safety, honor, and health, unto length of days, rightly teaching the word of Your truth.

### DEACON

And remember those whom each one of us has in mind, and all the people.

### CHOIR

And all the people.

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

Remember, Lord, all Orthodox bishops who rightly teach the word of Your truth. Remember Lord, my unworthiness according to the multitude of Your mercies; forgive my every transgression, both voluntary and involuntary. Do not take away the grace of Your Holy Spirit from these gifts presented because of my sins. Remember, Lord, the presbyters, the diaconate in Christ, and every order of the clergy, and do not confound any of us who stand about Your holy altar. Visit us with Your goodness, Lord; manifest Yourself to us through Your rich compassion. Grant us

ἡμῖν ἐν τοῖς πλουσίοις σου οἰκτιρμοῖς, εὐκράτους καὶ ἐπωφελεῖς τοὺς ἀέρας ἡμῖν χάρισαι, ὄμβρους εἰρηνικοὺς τῇ γῆ πρὸς καρποφορίαν δώρησαι. Εὐλόγησον τὸν στέφανον τοῦ ἐνιαυτοῦ τῆς χρηστότητός σου, παῦσον τὰ σχίσματα τῶν Ἐκκλησιῶν, σβέσον τὰ φρυάγματα τῶν ἐθνῶν, τὰς τῶν αἰρέσεων ἐπαναστάσεις ταχέως κατάλυσον, τῇ δυνάμει τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος. Πάντας ἡμᾶς πρόσδεξαι εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν σου, υἱούς φωτός καὶ υἱούς ἡμέρας ἀναδείξας, τὴν σὴν εἰρήνην, καὶ τὴν σὴν ἀγάπην χάρισαι ἡμῖν, Κύριε ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν· πάντα γὰρ ἀπέδωκας ἡμῖν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν ἐνὶ στόματι καὶ μιᾷ καρδίᾳ, δοξάζειν καὶ ἀνυμνεῖν τὸ πάντιμον καὶ μεγαλοπρεπὲς ὄνομά σου, τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Ἀμήν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Καὶ ἔσται τὰ ἐλέη τοῦ μεγάλου Θεοῦ καὶ Σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, μετὰ πάντων ὑμῶν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Καὶ μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματός σου.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πάντων τῶν ἁγίων μνημονεύσαντες, ἔτι καὶ ἔτι ἐν εἰρήνῃ τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὑπὲρ τῶν προσκομισθέντων καὶ ἁγιασθέντων τιμίων δώρων, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Ὅπως ὁ φιλόνητος Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ προσδεξάμενος αὐτὰ εἰς τὸ ἅγιον καὶ ὑπερουράνιον καὶ νοερὸν αὐτοῦ θυσιαστήριον εἰς ὁσμὴν εὐωδίας πνευματικῆς, ἀντικαταπέμψῃ ἡμῖν τὴν θεῖαν Χάριν καὶ τὴν δωρεὰν τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

seasonable weather and fruitful seasons; send gentle showers upon the earth so that it may bear fruit; bless the crown of the year of Your goodness. Prevent schism in the Church; pacify the raging of the heathen. Quickly stop the uprisings of heresies by the power of Your Holy Spirit. Receive us all into Your kingdom. Declare us to be sons and daughters of the light and of the day. Grant us Your peace and love, Lord our God, for You have given all things to us.

**PRIEST**

And grant that with one voice and one heart we may glorify and praise Your most honorable and majestic name, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**CHOIR**

Amen.

**PRIEST**

And the mercies of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ, be with you all.

**CHOIR**

And with your spirit.

**DEACON**

Having commemorated all the saints, again and again, in peace, let us pray to the Lord.

**CHOIR**

(Lord, have mercy.)

For the precious Gifts here presented and consecrated, let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

That our God Who loves mankind, having accepted them at His holy and celestial and mystical altar as an offering of spiritual fragrance, may in return send down upon us the divine grace and the gift of the Holy Spirit, let us pray.

(Lord, have mercy.)

*(Αἱ δεήσεις αὗται οὐχ ὑπῆρχον ἐξ ἀρχῆς εἰς τὸ σημεῖον τοῦτο· παρεισήχθησαν δὲ πιθανώτατα κατ' ἐπίδρασιν τῆς Θ. Λειτουργίας τῶν Προηγιασμένων.)*

Ἵπὲρ τοῦ ῥυσθῆναι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ πάσης θλίψεως, ὀργῆς, κινδύνου καὶ ἀνάγκης, τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῇ σῆ χάριτι.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν τελείαν, ἀγίαν, εἰρηνικὴν καὶ ἀναμάρτητον, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Ἄγγελον εἰρήνης, πιστὸν ὁδηγόν, φύλακα τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Συγγνώμην καὶ ἄφεσιν τῶν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ τῶν πλημμελημάτων ἡμῶν, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τὰ καλὰ καὶ συμφέροντα ταῖς ψυχαῖς ἡμῶν καὶ εἰρήνην τῷ κόσμῳ, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τὸν ὑπόλοιπον χρόνον τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν ἐν εἰρήνῃ καὶ μετανοίᾳ ἐκτελέσαι, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Χριστιανὰ τὰ τέλη τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, ἀνώδυνα, ἀνεπαίσχυντα, εἰρηνικά, καὶ καλὴν ἀπολογίαν τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ αἰτησώμεθα.

*(Παράσχου, Κύριε.)*

Τὴν ἐνότητα τῆς πίστεως καὶ τὴν κοινωνίαν τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος αἰτησάμενοι, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

*(Σοί, Κύριε.)*

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** *(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ Θεὸς τοῦ σώζειν, σὺ ἡμᾶς δίδαξον εὐχαριστεῖν σοι ἀζίως ὑπὲρ τῶν εὐεργεσιῶν σου, ὧν

*(These petitions were not originally included. They were most probably added owing to the influence of the Liturgy of the Presanctified Gifts.)*

For our deliverance from all affliction, wrath, danger, and necessity, let us pray to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and protect us, O God, by Your grace.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

That the whole day may be perfect, holy, peaceful, and sinless, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For an angel of peace, a faithful guide, a guardian of our souls and bodies, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For pardon and remission of our sins and transgressions, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

For that which is good and beneficial for our souls, and for peace for the world, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

That we may complete the remaining time of our life in peace and repentance, let us ask the Lord.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

And let us ask for a Christian end to our life, peaceful, without shame and suffering, and for a good defense before the awesome judgment seat of Christ.

*(Grant this, O Lord.)*

Having asked for the unity of the faith and for the communion of the Holy Spirit, let us commend ourselves and one another and our whole life to Christ our God.

*(To You, O Lord.)*

**PRIEST** *(in a low voice)*

Our God, the God who saves, You teach us justly to thank You for the good things which You have done

ἐποίησας, καὶ ποιεῖς μεθ' ἡμῶν. Σὺ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ προσδεξόμενος τὰ Δῶρα ταῦτα, καθάρισον ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ παντὸς μολυσμοῦ σαρκὸς καὶ πνεύματος, καὶ δίδαξον ἐπιτελεῖν ἀγιωσύνην ἐν φόβῳ σου, ἵνα ἐν καθαρῷ τῷ μαρτυρίῳ τῆς συνειδήσεως ἡμῶν, ὑποδεχόμενοι τὴν μερίδα τῶν ἁγιασμάτων σου, ἐνωθῶμεν τῷ ἁγίῳ Σώματι καὶ Αἵματι τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου. Καὶ ὑποδεξάμενοι αὐτὰ ἄξιως, σχῶμεν τὸν Χριστόν, κατοικοῦντα ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ἡμῶν, καὶ γενώμεθα ναὸς τοῦ Ἁγίου σου Πνεύματος. Ναί, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, καὶ μηδένα ἡμῶν ἔνοχον ποιήσης τῶν φρικτῶν σου τούτων καὶ ἐπουρανίων Μυστηρίων, μηδὲ ἀσθενῆ ψυχῆ καὶ σώματι, ἐκ τοῦ ἀναξίως αὐτῶν μεταλαμβάνειν, ἀλλὰ δὸς ἡμῖν μέχρι τῆς ἐσχάτης ἡμῶν ἀναπνοῆς, ἄξιως ὑποδέχεσθαι τὴν μερίδα τῶν ἁγιασμάτων σου, εἰς ἐφόδιον ζωῆς αἰωνίου, εἰς ἀπολογία ἐυπρόσδεκτον, τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου, ὅπως ἂν καὶ ἡμεῖς μετὰ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, τῶν ἀπ' αἰῶνός σοι εὐαρεστησάντων, γενώμεθα μέτοχοι τῶν αἰωνίων σου ἀγαθῶν, ὧν ἠτοιμάσας τοῖς ἀγαπῶσί σε, Κύριε.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Καὶ καταξίωσον ἡμᾶς, Δέσποτα, μετὰ παρρησίας, ἀκατακρίτως, τολμᾶν ἐπικαλεῖσθαι σὲ τὸν ἐπουράνιον Θεὸν Πατέρα, καὶ λέγειν·

### ΛΑΟΣ

#### ΚΥΡΙΑΚΗ ΠΡΟΣΕΥΧΗ

Πάτερ ἡμῶν ὁ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἁγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου. Ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου. Γενηθήτω τὸ θέλημά σου, ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς. Τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον. Καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὀφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὀφειλέταις ἡμῶν. Καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν, ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Ὅτι σοῦ ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα τοῦ Πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ Υἱοῦ καὶ τοῦ Ἁγίου Πνεύματος, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Εἰρήνη πᾶσι.

and still do for us. You are our God who has accepted these Gifts. Cleanse us from every defilement of flesh and spirit, and teach us how to live in holiness by Your fear, so that receiving the portion of Your holy Gifts with a clear conscience we may be united with the holy Body and Blood of Your Christ. Having received them worthily, may we have Christ dwelling in our hearts, and may we become the temple of Your Holy Spirit. Yes, our God, let none of us be guilty before these, Your awesome and heavenly Mysteries, nor be infirm in body and soul by partaking of them unworthily. But enable us, even up to our last breath, to receive a portion of Your holy Gifts worthily, as provision for eternal life and as an acceptable defense at the awesome judgment seat of Your Christ. So that we also, together with all the saints who through the ages have pleased You, may become partakers of Your eternal good things, which You, Lord, have prepared for those who love You.

### PRIEST

And grant us, Master, with boldness and without condemnation, to dare call You, the heavenly God, Father, and to say:

### PEOPLE

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. <sup>[GOA]</sup>

### PRIEST

For Thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### PRIEST

Peace be with all.

(Καὶ τῷ πνεύματί σου.)

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τὰς κεφαλὰς ἡμῶν τῷ Κυρίῳ κλίνωμεν.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Δέσποτα Κύριε, ὁ Πατήρ τῶν οἰκτιρμῶν, καὶ Θεὸς πάσης παρακλήσεως, τοὺς ὑποκεκλικότας σοὶ τὰς ἑαυτῶν κεφαλὰς εὐλόγησον, ἀγίασον, φρούρησον, ὀχύρωσον, ἐνδυνάμωσον, ἀπὸ παντὸς ἔργου πονηροῦ ἀπόστησον, παντὶ δὲ ἔργῳ ἀγαθῷ σύναψον, καὶ καταξίωσον ἀκατακρίτως μετασχεῖν τῶν ἀχράντων σου τούτων καὶ ζωοποιῶν Μυστηρίων, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν, εἰς Πνεύματος Ἁγίου κοινωνίαν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Χάριτι καὶ οἰκτιρμοῖς καὶ φιλανθρωπία τοῦ μονογενοῦς σου Υἱοῦ, μεθ' οὗ εὐλογητὸς εἶ, σὺν τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰῶνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Πρόσχε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐξ ἁγίου κατοικητηρίου σου, καὶ ἀπὸ θρόνου δόξης τῆς Βασιλείας σου, καὶ ἐλθέ εἰς τὸ ἀγιάσαι ἡμᾶς, ὁ ἄνω τῷ Πατρὶ συγκαθήμενος καὶ ὤδε ἡμῖν ἀοράτως συνών. Καὶ καταξίωσον τῇ κραταιᾷ σου χειρὶ μεταδοῦναι ἡμῖν τοῦ ἀχράντου Σώματός σου καὶ τοῦ τιμίου Αἵματος καὶ δι' ἡμῶν παντὶ τῷ λαῷ.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Πρόσχωμεν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Τὰ Ἅγια τοῖς Ἁγίοις.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Εἷς ἅγιος, εἷς Κύριος, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός, εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ Πατρός. Ἀμήν.

(And with your spirit.)

**DEACON**

Let us bow our heads to the Lord.

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Lord Master, the Father of mercies and God of every consolation, bless sanctify, guard, fortify, and strengthen those who have bowed their heads to You. Distance them from every evil deed. Lead them to every good work and make them worthy to partake without condemnation of these, Your most pure and life-giving Mysteries, for the forgiveness of sins and for the communion of the Holy Spirit.

**PRIEST**

Through the grace, compassion, and love for mankind of Your only begotten Son, with whom You are blessed, together with Your all-holy, good, and life-creating Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

**THE HOLY COMMUNION**

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

Hearken, O Lord Jesus Christ our God, from Your holy dwelling place and from the throne of glory of Your Kingdom, and come to sanctify us, You Who are enthroned with the Father on high and are present among us invisibly here. And with Your mighty hand, grant Communion of Your most pure Body and precious Blood to us, and through us to all the people.

**DEACON**

Let us be attentive.

**PRIEST**

The Holy Gifts for the holy people of God.

**CHOIR**

One is Holy, one is Lord, Jesus Christ, to the glory of God the Father. Amen. [GOA]

**ΛΑΟΣ**

ΕΥΧΑΙ ΠΡΟ ΤΗΣ ΘΕΙΑΣ ΚΟΙΝΩΝΙΑΣ

Πιστεύω, Κύριε, και όμολογώ, ότι σύ εἶ ἀληθῶς ό Χριστός, ό Υἱός τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος, ό ἐλθὼν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀμαρτωλοὺς σῶσαι, ὧν πρῶτός εἰμι ἐγώ. Ἔτι πιστεύω, ότι τοῦτο αὐτό ἐστι τὸ ἄχραντον Σῶμά σου και τοῦτο αὐτό ἐστι τὸ τίμιον Αἷμά σου. Δέομαι οὖν σου· ἐλέησόν με και συγχώρησόν μοι τὰ παραπτώματά μου, τὰ ἐκούσια και τὰ ἀκούσια, τὰ ἐν λόγῳ, τὰ ἐν ἔργῳ, τὰ ἐν γνώσει και ἀγνοίᾳ· και ἀξιώσόν με ἀκατακρίτως μετασχεῖν τῶν ἀχράντων σου μυστηρίων, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἀμαρτιῶν και εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

Ἰδού, βαδίζω πρὸς θείαν Κοινωνίαν· Πλαστουργέ, μὴ φλέξης με τῇ μετουσίᾳ· Πῦρ γὰρ ὑπάρχεις τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγον. Ἄλλ' οὖν κάθαρον ἐκ πάσης με κηλίδος.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱέ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἶπω, οὐ φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ό Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ό Ληστής όμολογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

Θεουργὸν Αἷμα φρίζον, ἄνθρωπε βλέπων· Ἄνθραξ γὰρ ἐστι τοὺς ἀναξίους φλέγων· Θεοῦ τὸ Σῶμα, και θεοῖ με, και τρέφει· Θεοῖ τὸ πνεῦμα, τὸν δὲ νοῦν τρέφει ζένως.

Ἔθελξας πόθῳ με Χριστέ, και ἠλλοίωσας τῷ θείῳ σου ἔρωτι, ἀλλὰ κατάφλεξον, πυρὶ αὐλῳ τὰς ἀμαρτίας μου, και ἐμπλησθῆναι τῆς ἐν σοὶ τρυφῆς καταξιώσον, ἵνα τὰς δύο σκιρτῶν, μεγαλύνῳ ἀγαθὲ παρουσίας σου.

Ἐν ταῖς λαμπρότησι τῶν Ἀγίων σου, πῶς εἰσελεύσομαι ό ἀνάξιος; ἐὰν γὰρ τολμήσω

**PEOPLE**

PRAYERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

I believe and confess, Lord, that You are truly the Christ, the Son of the living God, Who came into the world to save sinners, of whom I am the first. I also believe that this is truly Your pure Body and that this is truly Your precious Blood. Therefore, I pray to You, have mercy upon me, and forgive my transgressions, voluntary and involuntary, in word and deed, in knowledge or in ignorance. And make me worthy, without condemnation, to partake of Your pure Mysteries for the remission of sins and for eternal life. Amen.

Behold, I approach for Divine Communion. \* O Maker, burn me not as I partake, \* for You are fire consuming the unworthy. \* But cleanse me from every stain.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

Tremble, O man, as you behold the divine Blood. It is a burning coal that sears the unworthy. The Body of God both deifies and nourishes me: It deifies the spirit and wondrously nourishes the mind.

You have smitten me with yearning, O Christ, and by Your divine eros You have changed me. But burn up with spiritual fire my sins, and grant me to be filled with delight in You, so that, leaping for joy, I may magnify, O Good One, Your two comings.

How shall I, who am unworthy, enter into the splendor of Your saints? If I should dare to

συνεισελθεῖν εἰς τὸν νυμφῶνα, ὁ χιτῶν μὲ ἐλέγχει, ὅτι οὐκ ἔστι τοῦ γάμου, καὶ δέσμιος ἐκβαλοῦμαι ὑπὸ τῶν Ἀγγέλων. Καθάρισον, Κύριε, τὸν ρύπον τῆς ψυχῆς μου, καὶ σῶσόν με ὡς φιλόανθρωπος.

Δέσποτα φιλόανθρωπε, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ, ὁ Θεός μου, μὴ εἰς κριμὰ μοι γένοιτο τὰ ἅγια ταῦτα, διὰ τὸ ἀνάξιον εἶναί με, ἀλλ' εἰς κάθαρσιν καὶ ἁγιασμόν ψυχῆς τε καὶ σώματος, καὶ εἰς ἀρράβωνα τῆς μελλούσης ζωῆς καὶ βασιλείας. Ἐμοὶ δὲ τὸ προσκολλᾶσθαι τῷ Θεῷ ἀγαθὸν ἔστι, τίθεσθαι ἐν τῷ Κυρίῳ τὴν ἐλπίδα τῆς σωτηρίας μου.

Τοῦ Δείπνου σου τοῦ μυστικοῦ, σήμερον Υἱὲ Θεοῦ, κοινωνόν με παράλαβε· οὐ μὴ γὰρ τοῖς ἐχθροῖς σου τὸ Μυστήριον εἶπω, οὐ φίλημά σοι δώσω, καθάπερ ὁ Ἰούδας, ἀλλ' ὡς ὁ Ληστής ὁμολογῶ σοι. Μνήσθητί μου Κύριε, [ὅταν ἔλθῃς] ἐν τῇ Βασιλείᾳ σου.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

##### **Κοινωνικόν. Ψαλμὸς 148.**

Αἰνεῖτε τὸν Κύριον ἐκ τῶν οὐρανῶν· αἰνεῖτε αὐτὸν ἐν τοῖς ὑψίστοις. Ἀλληλούϊα.

#### ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ

Μετὰ φόβου Θεοῦ, πίστεως καὶ ἀγάπης προσέλθετε.

*Καὶ γίνεται ἡ μετάληψις τοῦ Λαοῦ. Λαμβάνει ὁ Ἱερεὺς ἀπὸ τῶν τοῦ Διακόνου χειρῶν τὸ ἅγιον Ποτήριον καὶ μεταδίδωσιν αὐτοῖς λέγων·*

Μεταλαμβάνει ὁ δοῦλος τοῦ Θεοῦ (Ὄνομα) Σῶμα καὶ Αἷμα Χριστοῦ, εἰς ἄφεσιν ἁμαρτιῶν καὶ ζωὴν αἰώνιον. Ἀμήν.

#### ΧΟΡΟΣ

*Ἦμνοι καθὼς μεταλαμβάνει ὁ λαός.*

#### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ

Σῶσον, ὁ Θεός, τὸν λαόν σου καὶ εὐλόγησον τὴν κληρονομίαν σου.

enter into the bridal chamber, my vesture will condemn me, since it is not a wedding garment; and being bound up, I shall be cast out by the angels. Cleanse, O Lord, the filth of my soul, and save me, as You are the one Who loves mankind.

Master Who loves mankind, Lord Jesus Christ, my God, let not these Holy Gifts be to my judgment because I am unworthy, but rather for the purification and sanctification of both soul and body and the pledge of the life and Kingdom to come. It is good for me to cleave unto God and to place in Him the hope of my salvation.

O Son of God, receive me today as a partaker of Your mystical supper. For I will not speak of the mystery to Your enemies, nor will I give You a kiss, as did Judas. But like the thief, I confess to You: Remember me, Lord, in Your Kingdom.

#### CHOIR

##### **Communion Hymn. Psalm 148.**

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise Him in the highest. Alleluia. [SAAS]

#### DEACON

With the fear of God, faith, and love, draw near.

*And the people receive Holy Communion. The Priest receives the holy Chalice from the hands of the Deacon and begins communing the people, saying to each one:*

The servant of God (Name) partakes of the Body and Blood of Christ for the remission of sins and life eternal.

#### CHOIR

*Hymns During Holy Communion*

#### PRIEST

Save, O God, Your people, and bless Your inheritance.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

**Ἦχος β΄.**

Εἶδομεν τὸ φῶς τὸ ἀληθινόν, ἐλάβομεν  
Πνεῦμα ἐπουράνιον, εὐρομεν πίστιν ἀληθῆ,  
ἀδιαίρετον Τριάδα προσκυνοῦντες· αὕτη γὰρ ἡμᾶς  
ἔσωσεν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

*(χαμηλοφώνως)*

Ἀπόπλυνον, Κύριε, τὰ ἀμαρτήματα τῶν ἐνθάδε  
μνημονευθέντων δούλων σου τῷ Αἵματί σου τῷ ἁγίῳ·  
προσβείαις τῆς Θεοτόκου καὶ πάντων σου τῶν Ἁγίων. Ἀμήν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ὑψωσον, Δέσποτα.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὑψώθητι ἐπὶ τοὺς οὐρανοὺς ὁ Θεὸς καὶ ἐπὶ πᾶσαν τὴν  
γῆν ἡ δόξα σου.

Εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν  
αἰώνων.

*(Ἀμήν.)*

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Πληρωθήτω τὸ στόμα ἡμῶν αἰνέσεως Κύριε,  
ὅπως ἀνυμνήσωμεν τὴν δόξαν σου, ὅτι ἠξίωσας  
ἡμᾶς τῶν ἁγίων σου μετασχεῖν μυστηρίων·  
τήρησον ἡμᾶς ἐν τῷ σῶ ἁγιασμῷ, ὅλην τὴν ἡμέραν  
μελετῶντας τὴν δικαιοσύνην σου. Ἀλληλούϊα,  
ἀλληλούϊα, ἀλληλούϊα.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Ὅρθοί, μεταλαβόντες τῶν θείων, ἁγίων,  
ἀχράντων, ἀθανάτων, ἐπουρανίων καὶ ζωοποιῶν,  
φρικτῶν τοῦ Χριστοῦ μυστηρίων, ἀξίως  
εὐχαριστήσωμεν τῷ Κυρίῳ.

*(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)*

*ἤ·*

*(Δόξα σοι, Κύριε, δόξα σοι.)*

**CHOIR**

**Mode 2.**

We have seen the true light; we have received  
the heavenly Spirit; we have found the true faith,  
worshiping the undivided Trinity, for the Trinity  
has saved us. <sup>[GOA]</sup>

**PRIEST**

*(in a low voice)*

Wash away, Lord, by Your Holy Blood, the sins of  
Your servants here remembered through the intercessions of  
the Theotokos and all Your saints. Amen.

**DEACON**

Exalt, Master.

**PRIEST**

Be exalted, O God, above the heavens, and let Your  
glory be over all the earth.

Blessed is our God.

**PRIEST**

Always, now and forever and to the ages of  
ages.

*(Amen.)*

**CHOIR**

Let our mouths be filled with Your praise,  
O Lord, that we may sing of Your glory, because  
You have made us worthy to partake of Your  
Holy Mysteries. Keep us in Your sanctification,  
that all day long we may meditate upon Your  
righteousness. Alleluia. Alleluia. Alleluia. <sup>[GOA]</sup>

**DEACON**

Arise! Having partaken of the divine, holy,  
pure, immortal, heavenly, life-creating, and  
awesome Mysteries of Christ, let us worthily give  
thanks to the Lord.

*(Lord, have mercy.)*

*or:*

*(Glory to You, O Lord, glory to You.)*

Ἀντιλαβοῦ, σῶσον, ἐλέησον καὶ διαφύλαξον  
ἡμᾶς ὁ Θεὸς τῆ σῆ χάριτι.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

Τὴν ἡμέραν πᾶσαν, τελείαν, ἁγίαν, εἰρηνικὴν  
καὶ ἀναμάρτητον αἰτησάμενοι, ἑαυτοὺς καὶ  
ἀλλήλους καὶ πᾶσαν τὴν ζωὴν ἡμῶν, Χριστῷ τῷ  
Θεῷ παραθώμεθα.

(Σοί, Κύριε.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ** (χαμηλοφώνως)

Η ΕΥΧΑΡΙΣΤΗΡΙΟΣ ΕΥΧΗ

Εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι, Κύριε, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ἐπὶ τῇ  
μεταλήψει τῶν ἁγίων, ἀχράντων, ἀθανάτων, καὶ ἐπουρανίων  
σου Μυστηρίων, ἃ ἔδωκας ἡμῖν ἐπ' εὐεργεσία, καὶ ἁγιασμῷ,  
καὶ ἰάσει τῶν ψυχῶν καὶ τῶν σωμάτων ἡμῶν. Αὐτός,  
Δέσποτα τῶν ἀπάντων, δὸς γενέσθαι ἡμῖν τὴν κοινωνίαν  
τοῦ ἁγίου Σώματος καὶ Αἵματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ σου, εἰς πίστιν  
ἀκαταίσχυτον, εἰς ἀγάπην ἀνυπόκριτον, εἰς πλησμονὴν  
σοφίας, εἰς ἴασιν ψυχῆς καὶ σώματος, εἰς ἀποτροπὴν παντός  
ἐναντίου, εἰς περιποίησιν τῶν ἐντολῶν σου, εἰς ἀπολογίαν  
εὐπρόσδεκτον, τὴν ἐπὶ τοῦ φοβεροῦ βήματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ  
σου.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ ἁγιασμός ἡμῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν  
ἀναπέμπομεν, τῷ Πατρὶ καὶ τῷ Υἱῷ καὶ τῷ Ἁγίῳ  
Πνεύματι, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν  
αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ἐν εἰρήνῃ προέλθωμεν.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

ΕΥΧΗ ΟΠΙΣΘΑΜΒΩΝΟΣ

Ὁ θυσίαν αἰνέσεως καὶ λατρείαν εὐάρεστον,  
τὴν λογικὴν ταύτην καὶ ἀναίμακτον θυσίαν  
προσδεχόμενος παρὰ τῶν ἐπικαλουμένων σε ἐν  
ὄλῃ καρδίᾳ Χριστέ ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ὁ Ἄμνος καὶ  
Υἱὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁ αἴρων τὴν ἁμαρτίαν τοῦ κόσμου,

Help us, save us, have mercy on us, and  
protect us, O God, by Your grace.

(Lord, have mercy.)

Having prayed for a perfect, holy, peaceful,  
and sinless day, let us commend ourselves and one  
another and our whole life to Christ our God.

(To You, O Lord.)

**PRIEST** (in a low voice)

THE THANKSGIVING PRAYER

We thank You, Lord, our God, for the communion of  
Your holy, most pure, immortal, and heavenly Mysteries  
which You have granted us for the benefit, sanctification,  
and healing of our souls and bodies. Grant, Master of all,  
that the communion of the holy Body and Blood of Your  
Christ may become for us faith unashamed, love unfeigned,  
fulness of wisdom, healing of soul and body, repelling of  
every hostile adversary, observance of Your commandments,  
and an acceptable defense at the dread judgment seat of Your  
Christ.

**PRIEST**

For You are our sanctification, and to You we  
give glory, to the Father and to the Son and to the  
Holy Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of  
ages.

(Amen.)

**PRIEST**

Let us go forth in peace.

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**PRIEST**

THE PRAYER BEHIND THE AMBON

O Christ, our God, accept from those who call  
upon You with all their heart this spiritual sacrifice  
without the shedding of blood as a sacrifice of  
praise and true worship. You are the Lamb and  
Son of God who bears the sins of the world; the

ὁ μόσχος ὁ ἄμωμος, ὁ μὴ δεχόμενος ἀμαρτίας ζυγὸν καὶ τυθεὶς δι' ἡμᾶς ἐκὼν, ὁ μελιζόμενος καὶ μὴ διαιρούμενος, ὁ ἐσθιόμενος καὶ μηδέποτε δαπανώμενος, τοὺς δὲ ἐσθιόντας ἀγιάζων, ὁ εἰς ἀνάμνησιν τοῦ ἐκουσίου Πάθους σου, καὶ τῆς ζωοποιῶ τριημέρου Ἐγέρσεώς σου, κοινωνοὺς ἡμᾶς ἀναδείξας τῶν ἀρρήτων καὶ ἐπουρανίων καὶ φρικτῶν σου Μυστηρίων, τοῦ ἁγίου σου Σώματος καὶ τοῦ τιμίου σου Αἵματος, τήρησον ἡμᾶς τοὺς δούλους σου, τοὺς διακόνους, τοὺς ἄρχοντας ἡμῶν, τὸν στρατόν, καὶ τὸν περιστῶτα λαόν, ἐν τῷ σῶ ἁγιασμῷ. Καὶ δὸς ἡμῖν ἐν παντὶ χρόνῳ καὶ καιρῷ μελετᾶν τὴν σὴν δικαιοσύνην, ὅπως, πρὸς τὸ σὸν θέλημα ὀδηγηθέντες καὶ τὰ εὐάρεστά σοι ποιήσαντες, ἄξιοι γενώμεθα καὶ τῆς ἐκ δεξιῶν σου παραστάσεως, ὅταν ἐλεύση κρῖναι ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, τοὺς ἐν αἰχμαλωσίᾳ ἀδελφοὺς ἡμῶν ἀνάρρυσαι, τοὺς ἐν ἀσθενείᾳ ἐπίσκεψαι, τοὺς ἐν κινδύνοις θαλάσσης κυβέρνησον, καὶ τὰς προαναπαυσάμενας ψυχὰς ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ζωῆς αἰωνίου ἀνάπαυσον, ὅπου ἐπισκοπεῖ τὸ φῶς τοῦ προσώπου σου, καὶ πάντων τῶν δεομένων τῆς σῆς βοήθειας ἐπάκουσον, ὅτι σὺ εἶ ὁ δοτὴρ τῶν ἀγαθῶν, καὶ σοὶ τὴν δόξαν ἀναπέμπομεν, σὺν τῷ ἀνάρχῳ σου Πατρί, καὶ τῷ παναγίῳ καὶ ἀγαθῷ καὶ ζωοποιῷ σου Πνεύματι, νῦν, καὶ αἰεὶ, καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

(Ἀμήν.)

### ΧΟΡΟΣ

Εἴη τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου εὐλογημένον ἀπὸ τοῦ νῦν καὶ ἕως τοῦ αἰῶνος. (ἐκ γ')

### ΙΕΡΕΥΣ (χαμηλοφώνως)

Ἦνυσται καὶ τετέλεσται, ὅσον εἰς τὴν ἡμετέραν δύναμιν, Χριστέ, ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, τὸ τῆς σῆς οἰκονομίας μυστήριον· ἔσχομεν γὰρ τοῦ θανάτου σου τὴν μνήμην, εἶδομεν τῆς Ἀναστάσεώς σου τὸν τύπον, ἐνεπλήσθημεν τῆς ἀτελευτήτου σου ζωῆς, ἀπηλαύσαμεν τῆς ἀκένωτου σου τρυφῆς, ἧς καὶ ἐν τῷ μέλλοντι αἰῶνι πάντας ἡμᾶς καταξιωθῆναι εὐδόκησον, χάριτι τοῦ ἀνάρχου σου Πατρός, καὶ τοῦ ἁγίου καὶ ἀγαθοῦ, καὶ ζωοποιῶ σου Πνεύματος, νῦν, καὶ αἰεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων. Ἀμήν.

blameless calf who does not accept the yoke of sin and who freely sacrificed Yourself for us. You are broken but not divided. You are consumed but never spent. You sanctify those who partake of you. In remembrance of Your voluntary passion and life-giving resurrection on the third day, You have made us partakers of Your ineffable and heavenly and awesome mysteries of Your holy Body and precious Blood. Preserve us, Your servants, those who minister, our leaders, the armed forces, and the people present here, in Your holiness. Grant that we may meditate upon Your righteousness at all times and in every season. Guide us and our actions so that we may do what is pleasing to You, and may You find us worthy to stand at Your right hand when You return to judge the living and the dead. Deliver our brothers and sisters who are in captivity, visit those who are sick, protect those who are in danger at sea, and give rest to the souls of all those who have fallen asleep in the hope of the eternal life where the light of Your face shines. Hear the petitions of all those who beseech You for Your help. For You are the giver of all good things, and to You we give glory, together with Your eternal Father and Your all holy, good, and life giving Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

### CHOIR

Blessed be the name of the Lord, from this time forth and to the ages. (3) [GOA]

### PRIEST (in a low voice)

The mystery of Your dispensation, O Christ our God, has been accomplished and perfected as far as it is in our power. We have had the memorial of Your death. We have seen the typos of Your resurrection. We have been filled with Your unending life. We have enjoyed Your inexhaustible delight which in the world to come be well pleased to give to us all, through the grace of Your holy and good and life-giving Spirit, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

**ΔΙΑΚΟΝΟΣ**

Τοῦ Κυρίου δεηθῶμεν.

(Κύριε, ἐλέησον.)

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Εὐλογία Κυρίου καὶ ἔλεος αὐτοῦ ἔλθοι ἐφ' ὑμᾶς, τῇ αὐτοῦ θεία χάριτι καὶ φιλανθρωπία πάντοτε, νῦν καὶ ἀεὶ καὶ εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας τῶν αἰώνων.

(Ἀμήν.)

Δόξα σοι ὁ Θεὸς ἡμῶν, δόξα σοι.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ νεκρῶν, Χριστὸς ὁ ἀληθινὸς Θεὸς ἡμῶν, ταῖς πρεσβείαις τῆς παναχράντου καὶ παναμώμου ἁγίας αὐτοῦ Μητρός, δυνάμει τοῦ τιμίου καὶ ζωοποιοῦ Σταυροῦ, προστασίαις τῶν τιμίων ἐπουρανίων Δυνάμεων Ἀσωμάτων, ἰκεσίαις τοῦ τιμίου, ἐνδόξου, προφήτου, Προδρόμου καὶ βαπτιστοῦ Ἰωάννου, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ πανευφήμων Ἀποστόλων, τῶν ἁγίων ἐνδόξων καὶ καλλινίκων μαρτύρων· τῶν ὁσίων καὶ θεοφόρων Πατέρων ἡμῶν· (τοῦ Ἁγίου τοῦ Ναοῦ)· τῶν ἁγίων καὶ δικαίων Θεοπατόρων Ἰωακεὶμ καὶ Ἄννης, τοῦ ἐν ἁγίοις Πατρὸς ἡμῶν Γρηγορίου Ἀρχιεπισκόπου Θεσσαλονίκης τοῦ Παλαμᾶ, οὗ καὶ τὴν μνήμην ἐπιτελοῦμεν· καὶ πάντων τῶν Ἁγίων, ἐλεῆσαι καὶ σῶσαι ἡμᾶς, ὡς ἀγαθὸς καὶ φιλάνθρωπος.

**ΧΟΡΟΣ**

Τὸν εὐλογοῦντα καὶ ἁγιάζοντα ἡμᾶς, Κύριε, φύλαττε εἰς πολλὰ ἔτη.

**ΙΕΡΕΥΣ**

Δι' εὐχῶν τῶν ἁγίων πατέρων ἡμῶν, Κύριε Ἰησοῦ Χριστέ ὁ Θεός, ἐλέησον καὶ σῶσον ἡμᾶς.

(Ἀμήν.)

**DEACON**

Let us pray to the Lord.

(Lord, have mercy.)

**PRIEST**

May the blessing and the mercy of the Lord come upon you by His divine grace and love for mankind, always, now and forever and to the ages of ages.

(Amen.)

Glory to You, our God. Glory to You.

**PRIEST**

May He who rose from the dead, Christ our true God, through the intercessions of His all-pure and all-immaculate holy Mother, the power of the precious and life-giving Cross, the protection of the honorable, bodiless powers of heaven, the supplications of the honorable, glorious prophet and forerunner John the Baptist, of the holy, glorious, and praiseworthy apostles, of the holy, glorious, and triumphant martyrs, of our righteous and God-bearing fathers, (local patron saint); of the holy and righteous ancestors of God Joachim and Anna, our father among the saints Gregory Palamas, Archbishop of Thessaloniki, whose memory we celebrate, and of all the saints, have mercy on us and save us, for He is good and loves mankind.

**CHOIR**

Lord, protect for many years the one who blesses and sanctifies us. [GOA]

**PRIEST**

Through the prayers of our holy fathers, Lord Jesus Christ, our God, have mercy on us [and save us].

(Amen.)